

# California Progress in Energy-Efficient Buildings The Long View: 1974 – 2030

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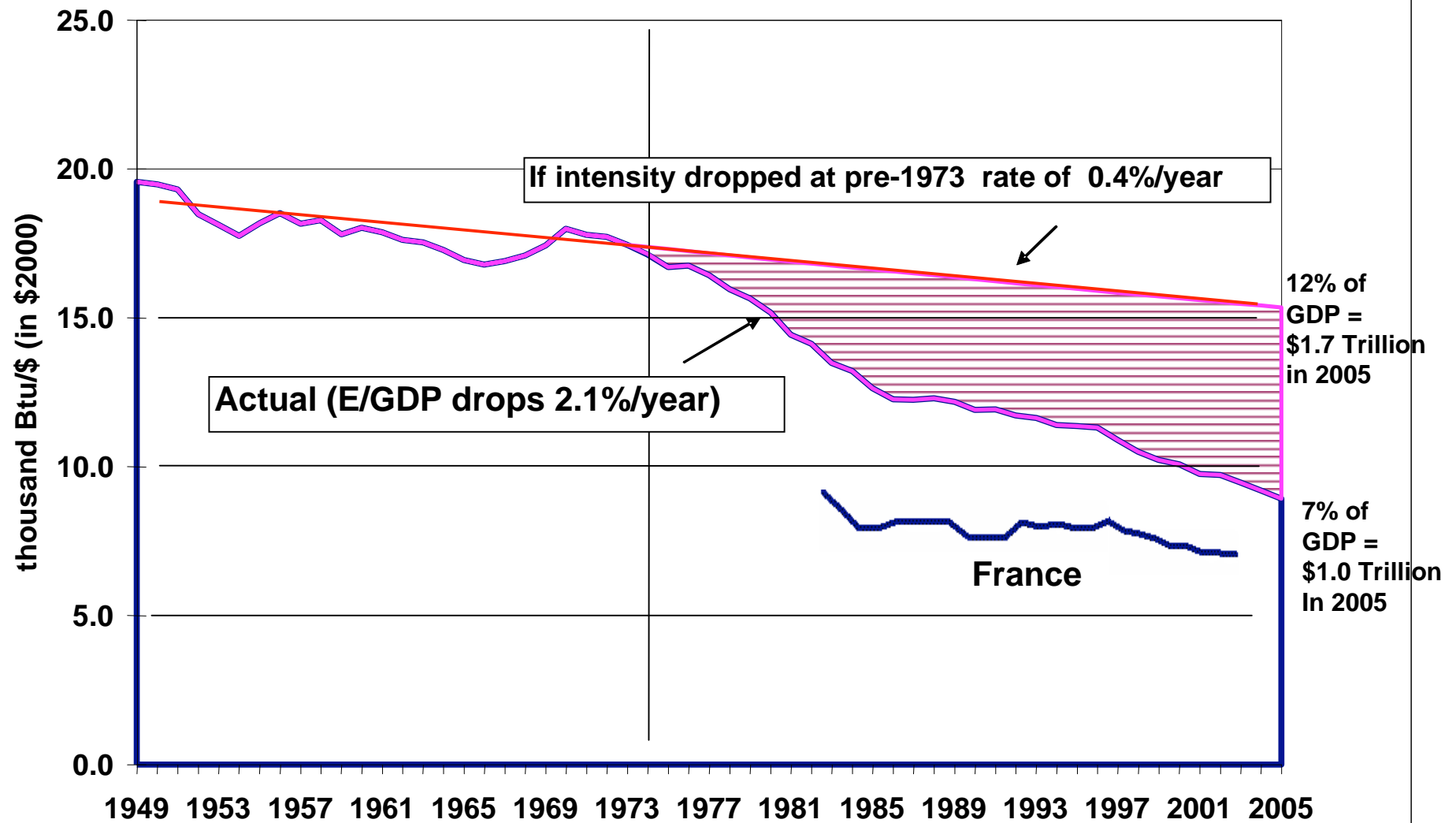
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or just Google “Art Rosenfeld”**

# California Energy Commission Responsibilities

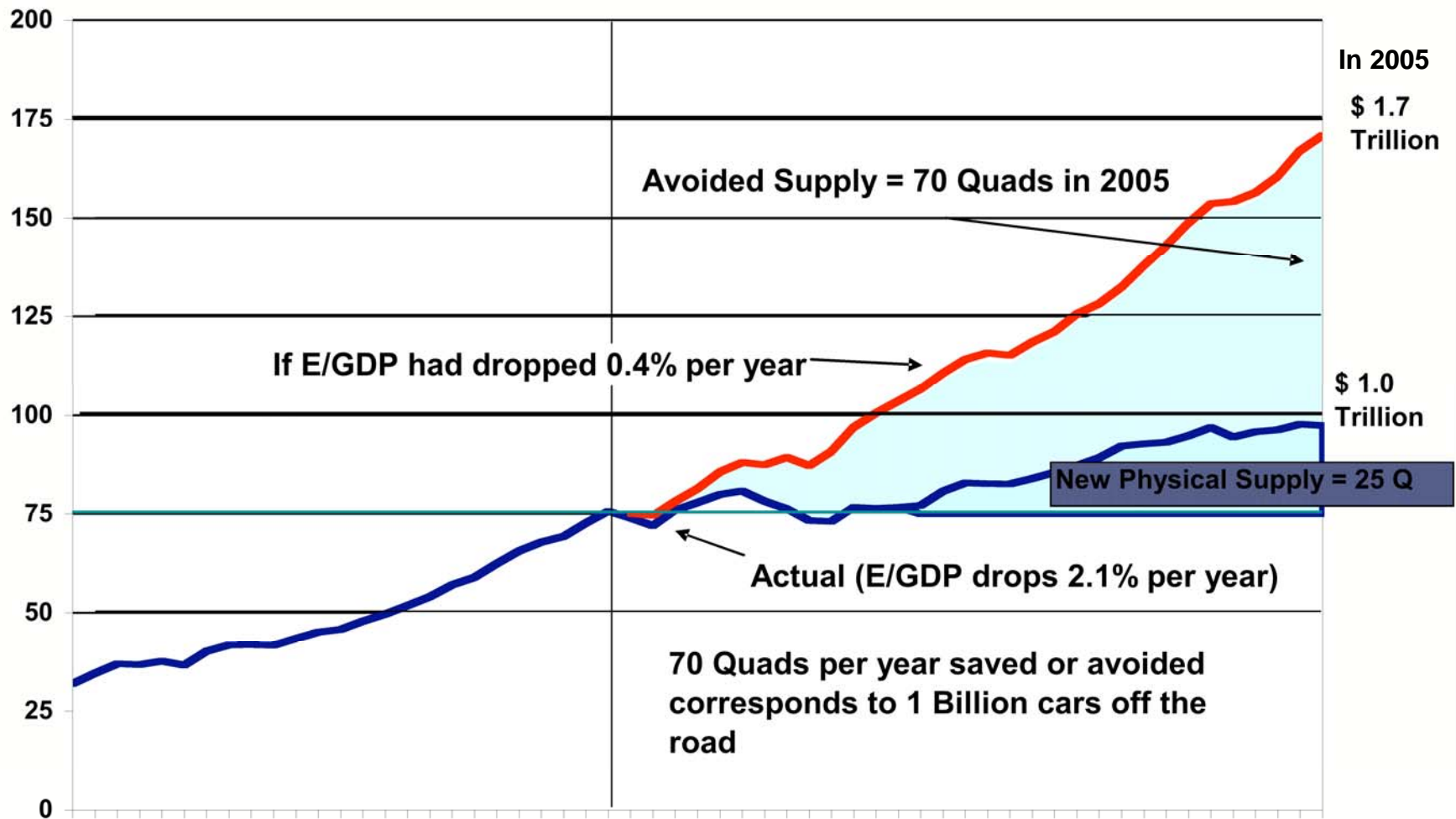
## Both Regulation and R&D

- California Building and Appliance Standards
  - Started 1977
  - Updated every few years
- Siting Thermal Power Plants Larger than 50 MW
- Forecasting Supply and Demand (electricity and fuels)
- Research and Development
  - ~ \$80 million per year
- California is introducing communicating electric meters and thermostats that are programmable to respond to time-dependent electric tariffs.

# Energy Intensity (E/GDP) in the United States (1949 - 2005) and France (1980 - 2003)



## Energy Consumption in the United States 1949 - 2005



# How Much of The Savings Come from Efficiency

- Some examples of estimated savings in 2006 based on 1974 efficiencies minus 2006 efficiencies

	Billion \$
Space Heating	40
Air Conditioning	30
Refrigerators	15
Fluorescent Tube Lamps	5
Compact Fluorescent Lamps	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>95</b>

- Beginning in 2007 in California, reduction of “vampire” or stand-by losses
  - This will save \$10 Billion when finally implemented, nationwide
- Out of a total **\$700 Billion**, a crude summary is that 1/3 is structural, 1/3 is from transportation, and 1/3 from buildings and industry.

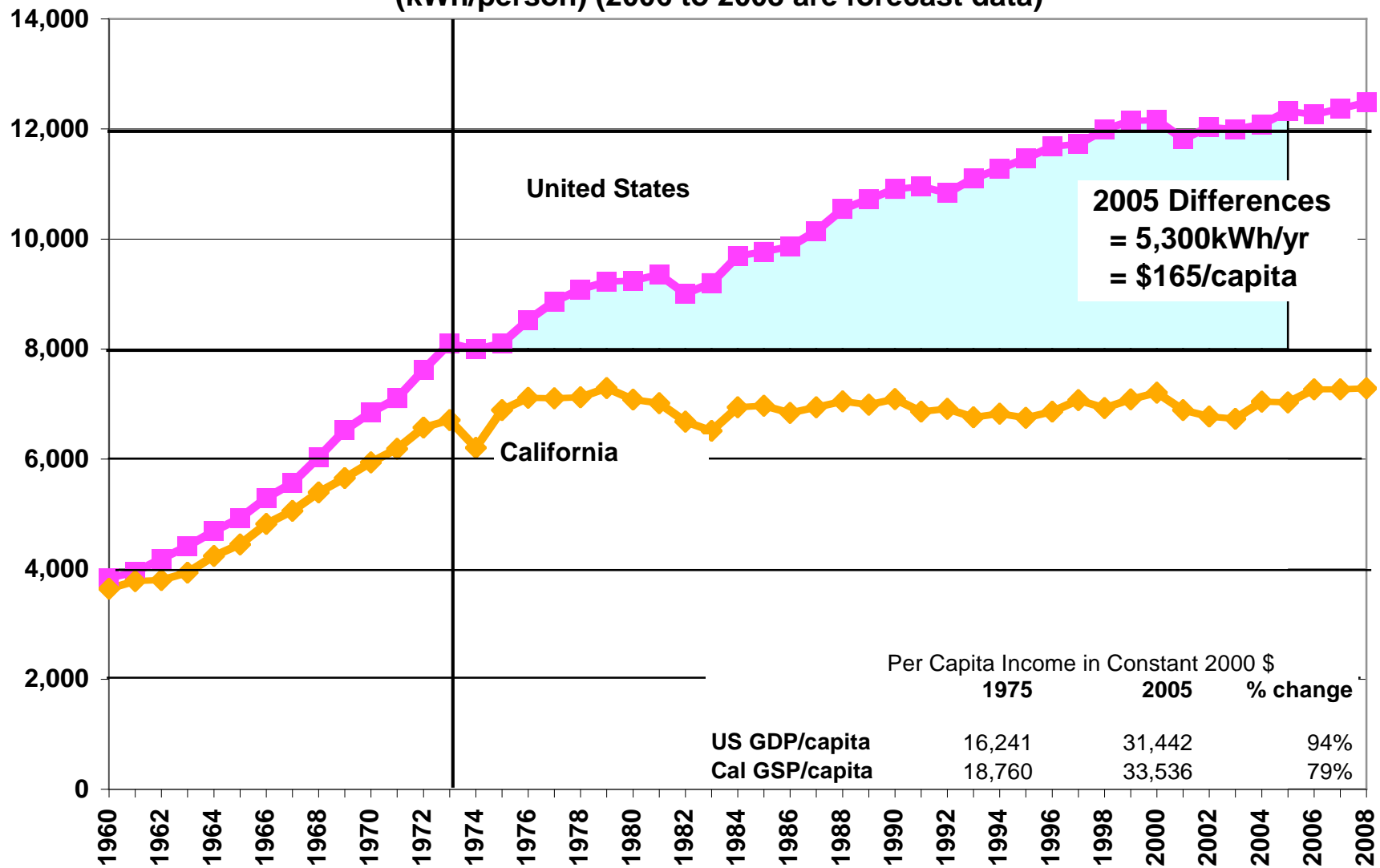
# Two Energy Agencies in California

- The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) was formed in 1890 to regulate natural monopolies, like railroads, and later electric and gas utilities.
- The California Energy Commission (CEC) was formed in 1974 to regulate the environmental side of energy production and use.
- Now the two agencies work very closely, particularly to delay climate change.
- The Investor-Owned Utilities, under the guidance of the CPUC, spend “Public Goods Charge” money (rate-payer money) to do everything they can that is cost effective to beat existing standards.
- The Publicly-Owned utilities (20% of the power), under loose supervision by the CEC, do the same.

# California's Energy Action Plan

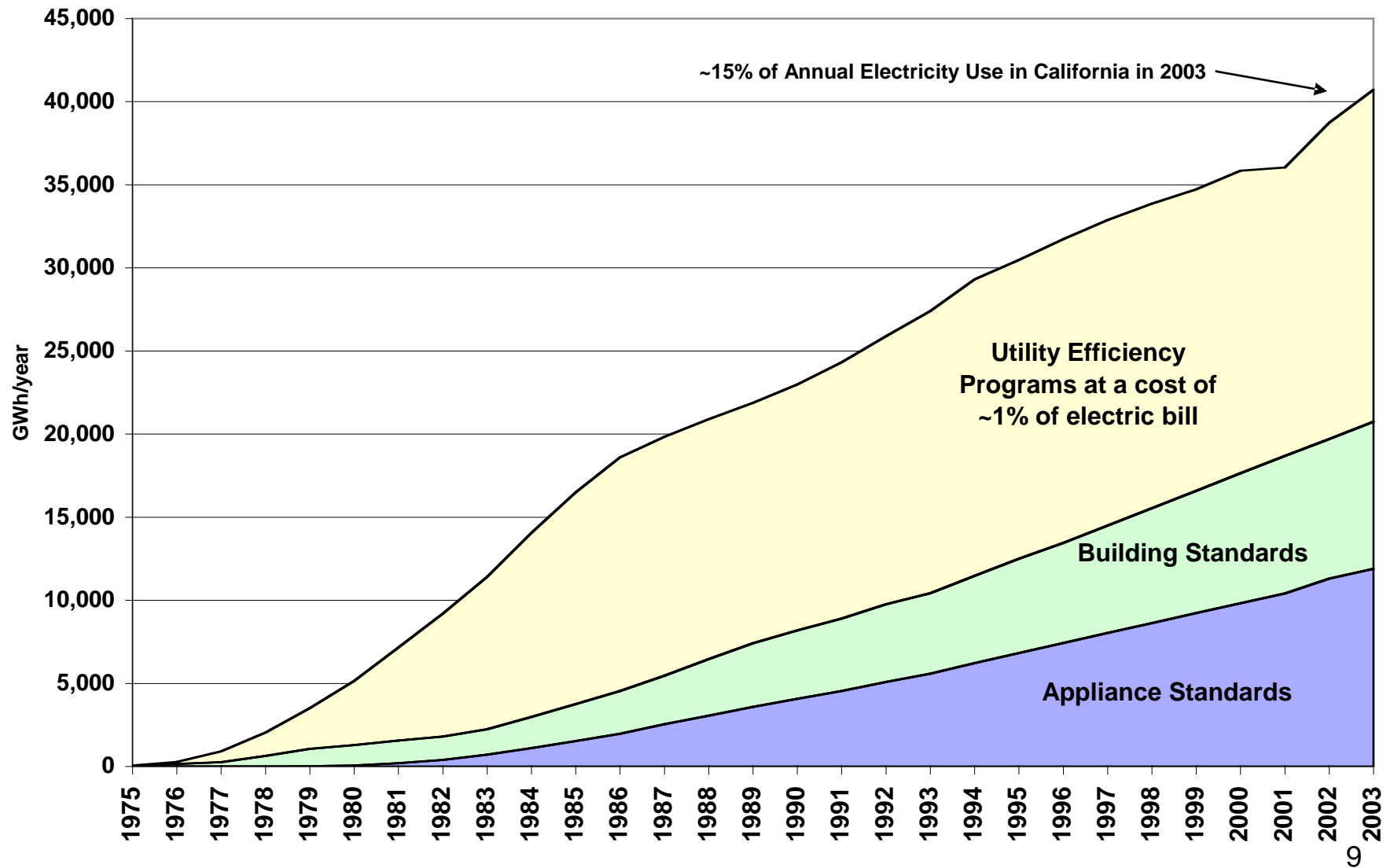
- California's Energy Agencies first adopted an Energy Action Plan in 2003. Central to this is the State's preferred "Loading Order" for resource expansion.
- 1. Energy efficiency and Demand Response
- 2. Renewable Generation,
- 3. Increased development of affordable & reliable conventional generation
- 4. Transmission expansion to support all of California's energy goals.
- The Energy Action Plan has been updated since 2003 and provides overall policy direction to the various state agencies involved with the energy sectors

**Per Capita Electricity Sales (not including self-generation)  
(kWh/person) (2006 to 2008 are forecast data)**

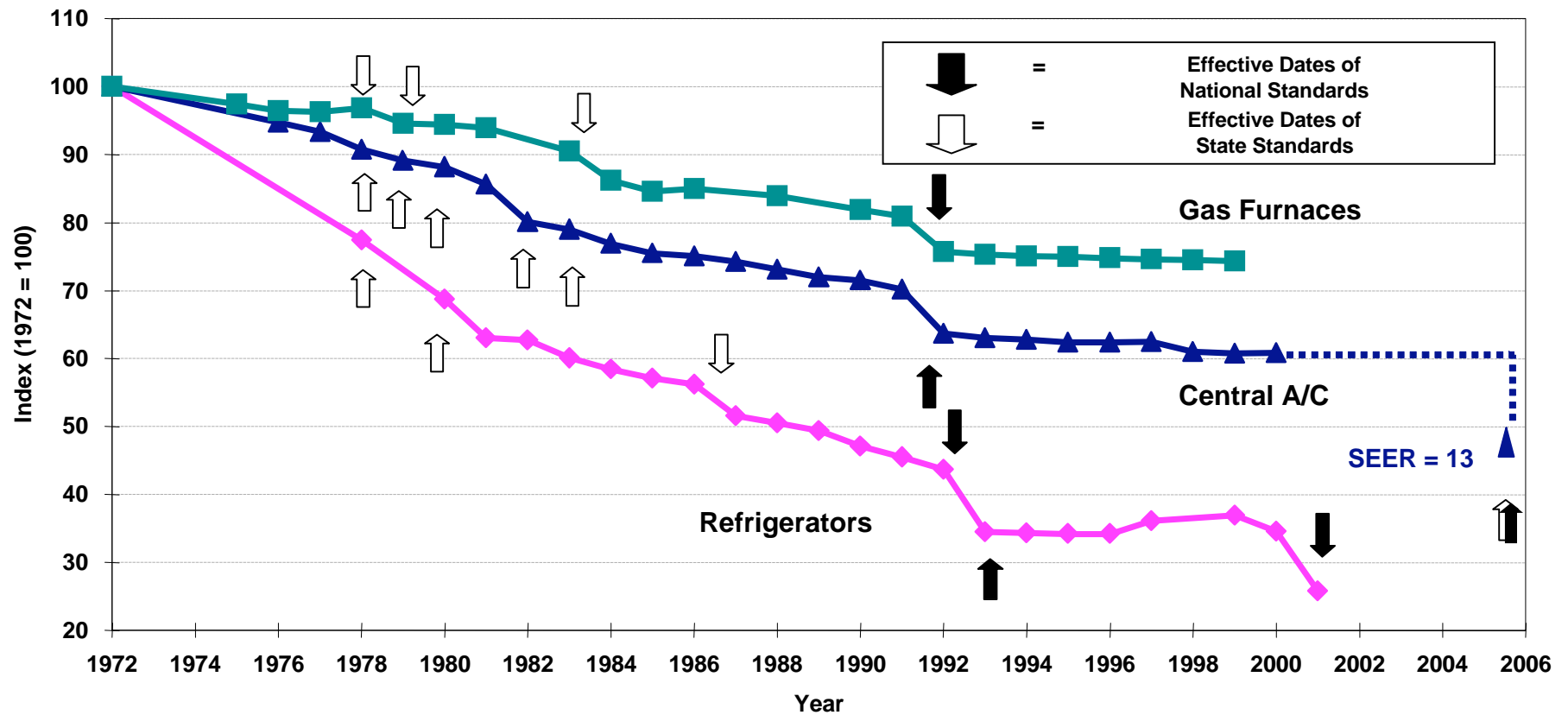




## Annual Energy Savings from Efficiency Programs and Standards

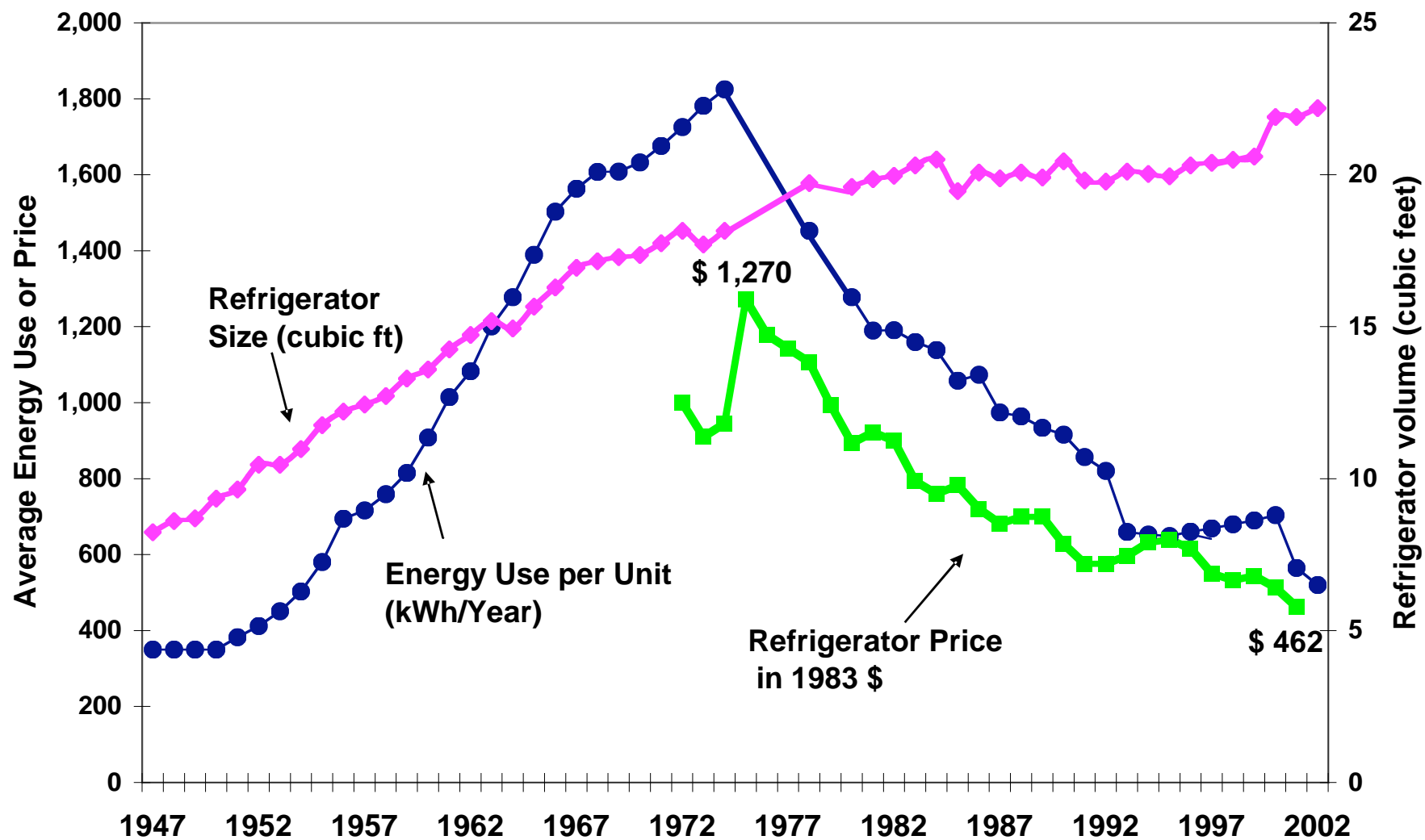


# Impact of Standards on Efficiency of 3 Appliances



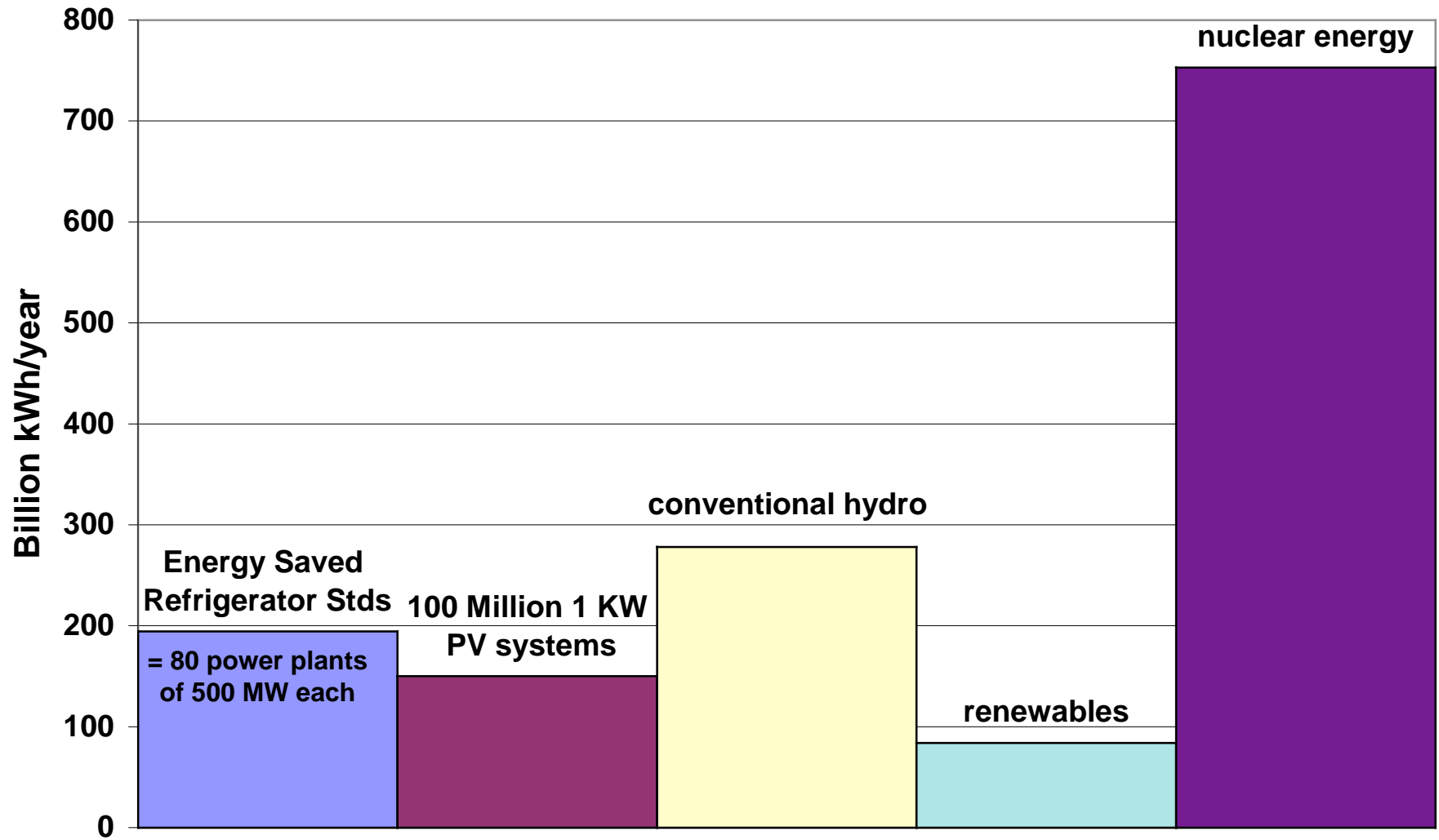
Source: S. Nadel, ACEEE,  
in ECEEE 2003 Summer Study, [www.eceee.org](http://www.eceee.org)

## New United States Refrigerator Use v. Time and Retail Prices

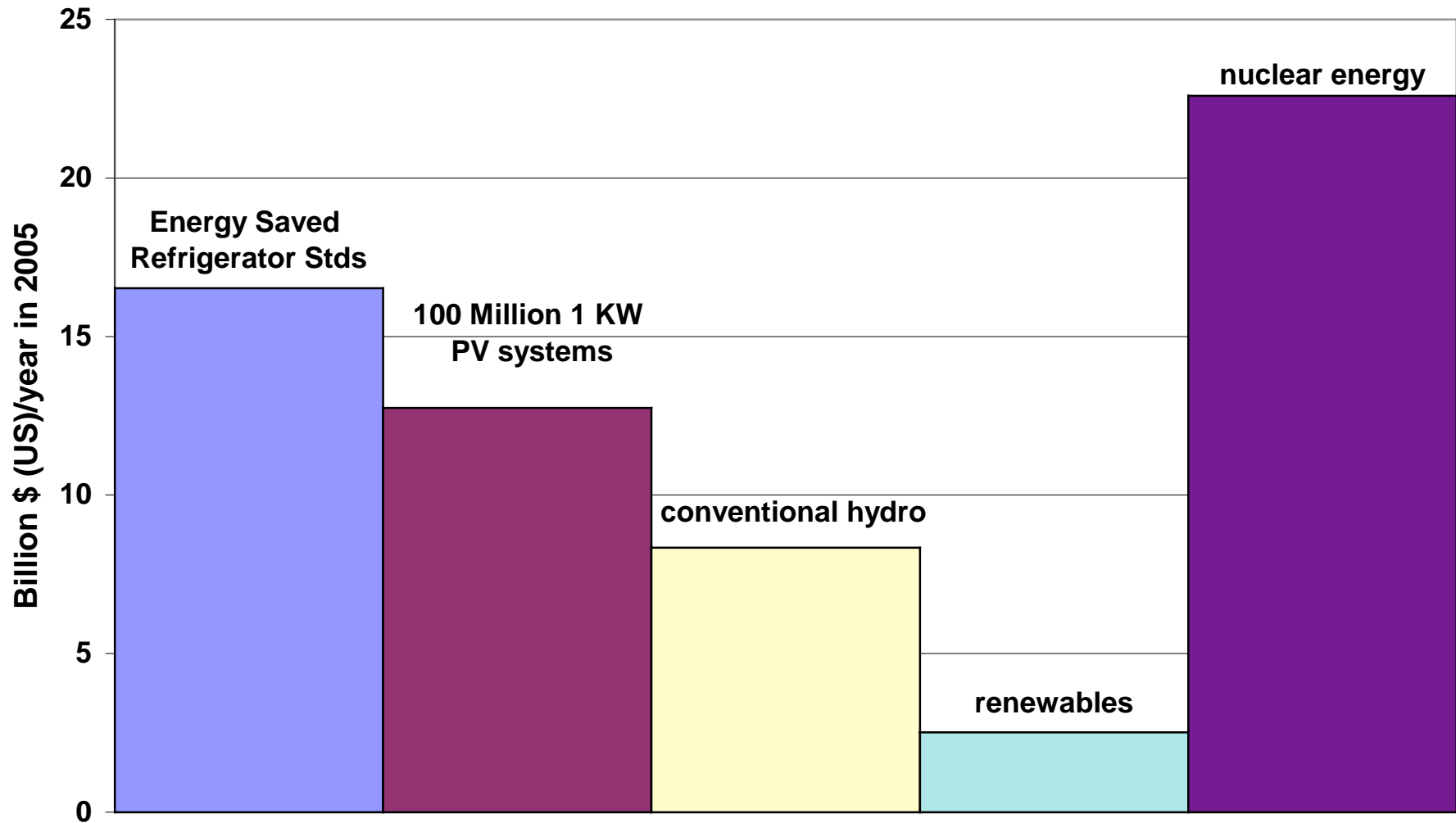


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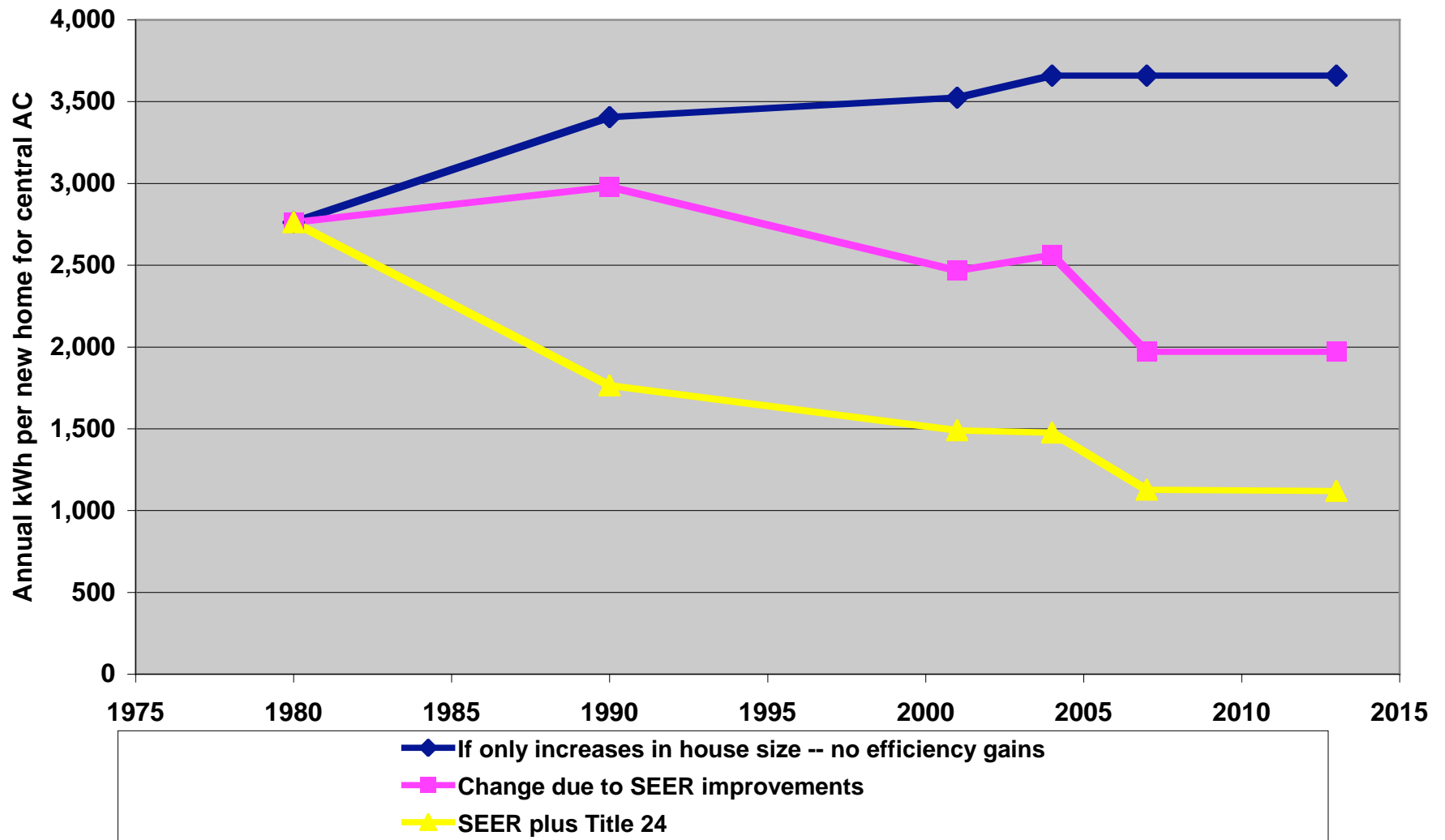
## Annual Energy Saved vs. Several Sources of Supply In the United States



**In the United States**  
**Value of Energy to be Saved (at 8.5 cents/kWh, retail price) vs.**  
**Several Sources of Supply in 2005 (at 3 cents/kWh, wholesale price)**

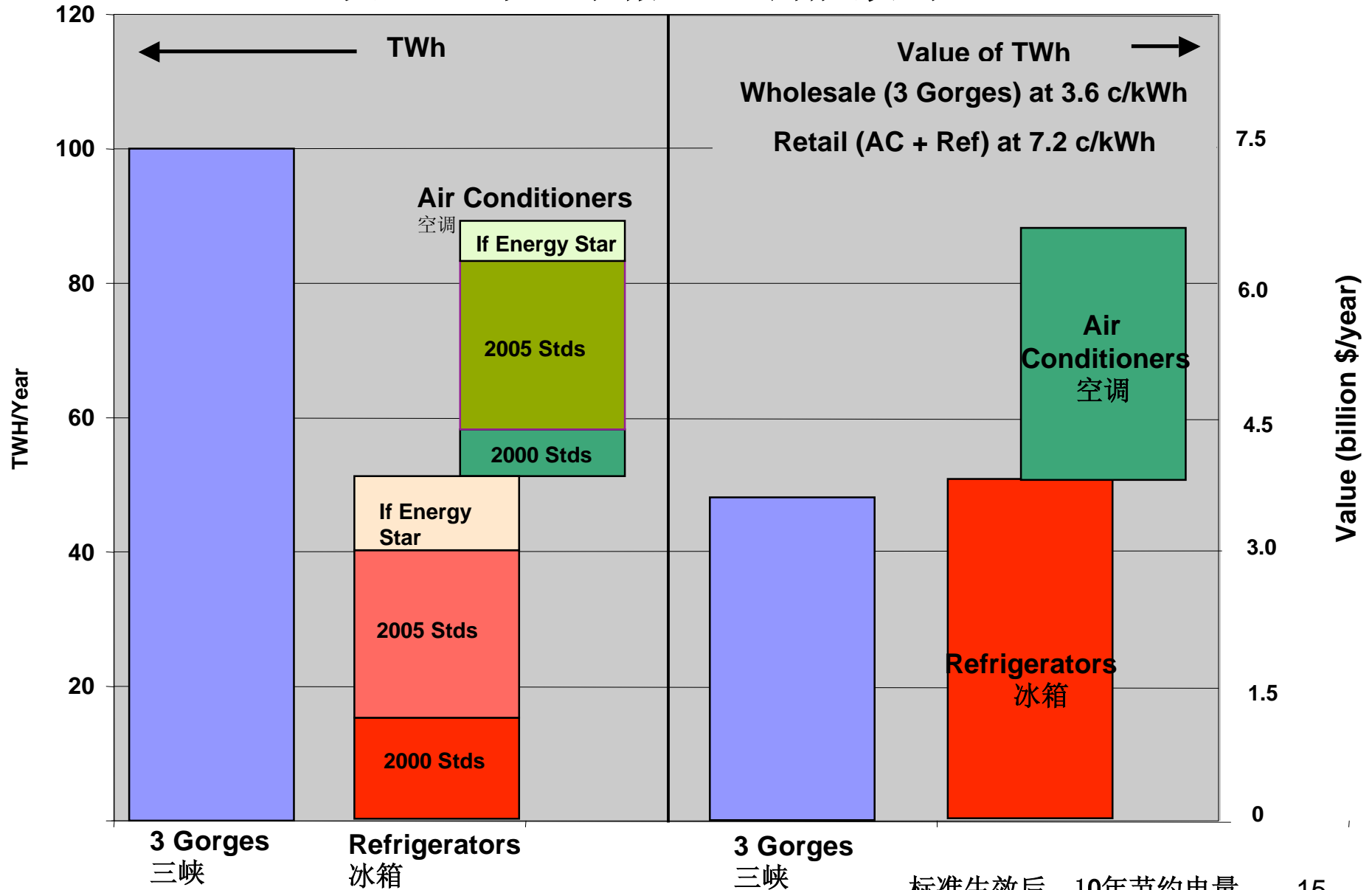


# Air Conditioning Energy Use in Single Family Homes in PG&E The effect of AC Standards (SEER) and Title 24 standards



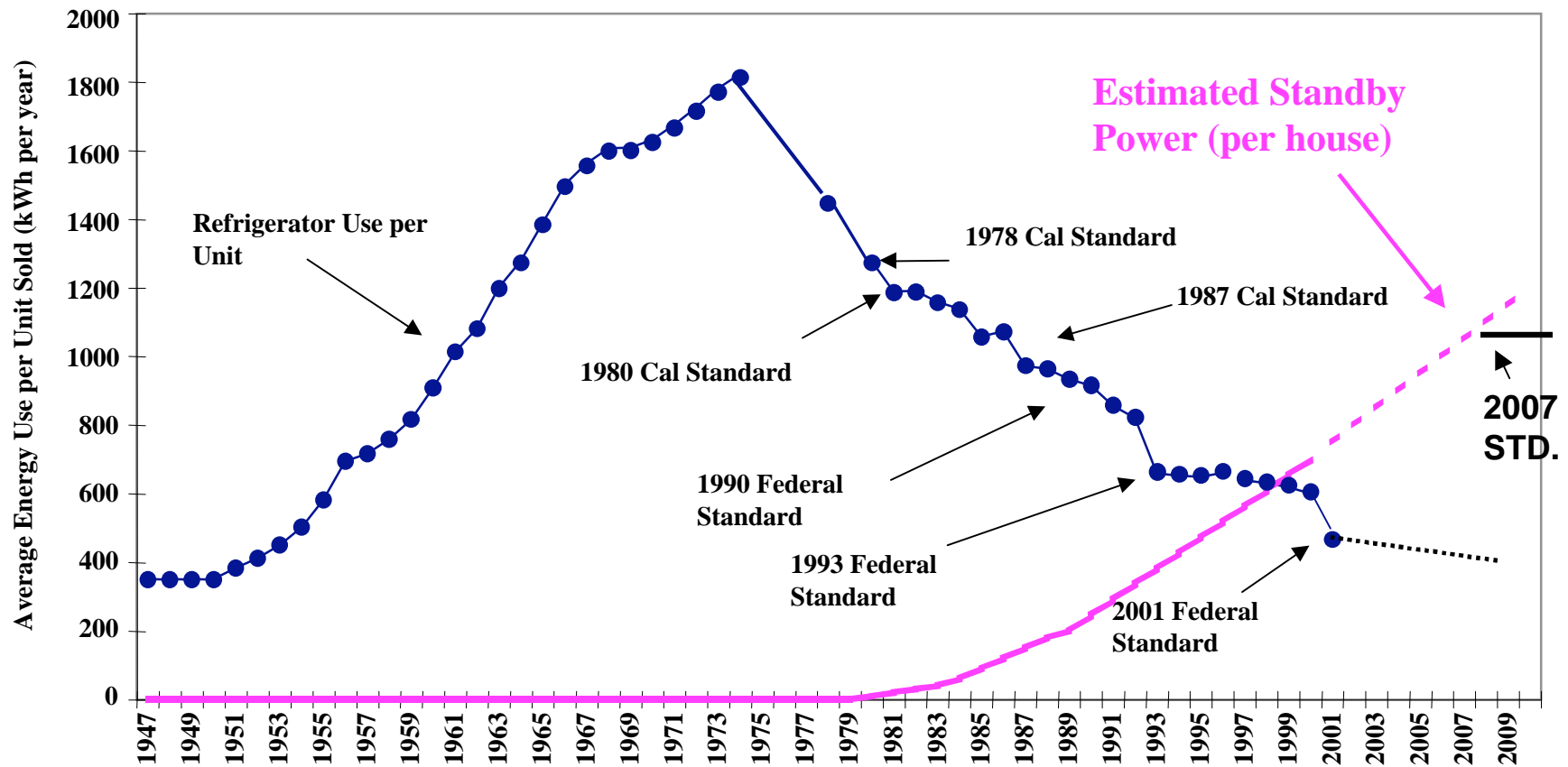
# Comparison of 3 Gorges to Refrigerator and AC Efficiency Improvements

## 三峡电量与电冰箱、空调能效对比



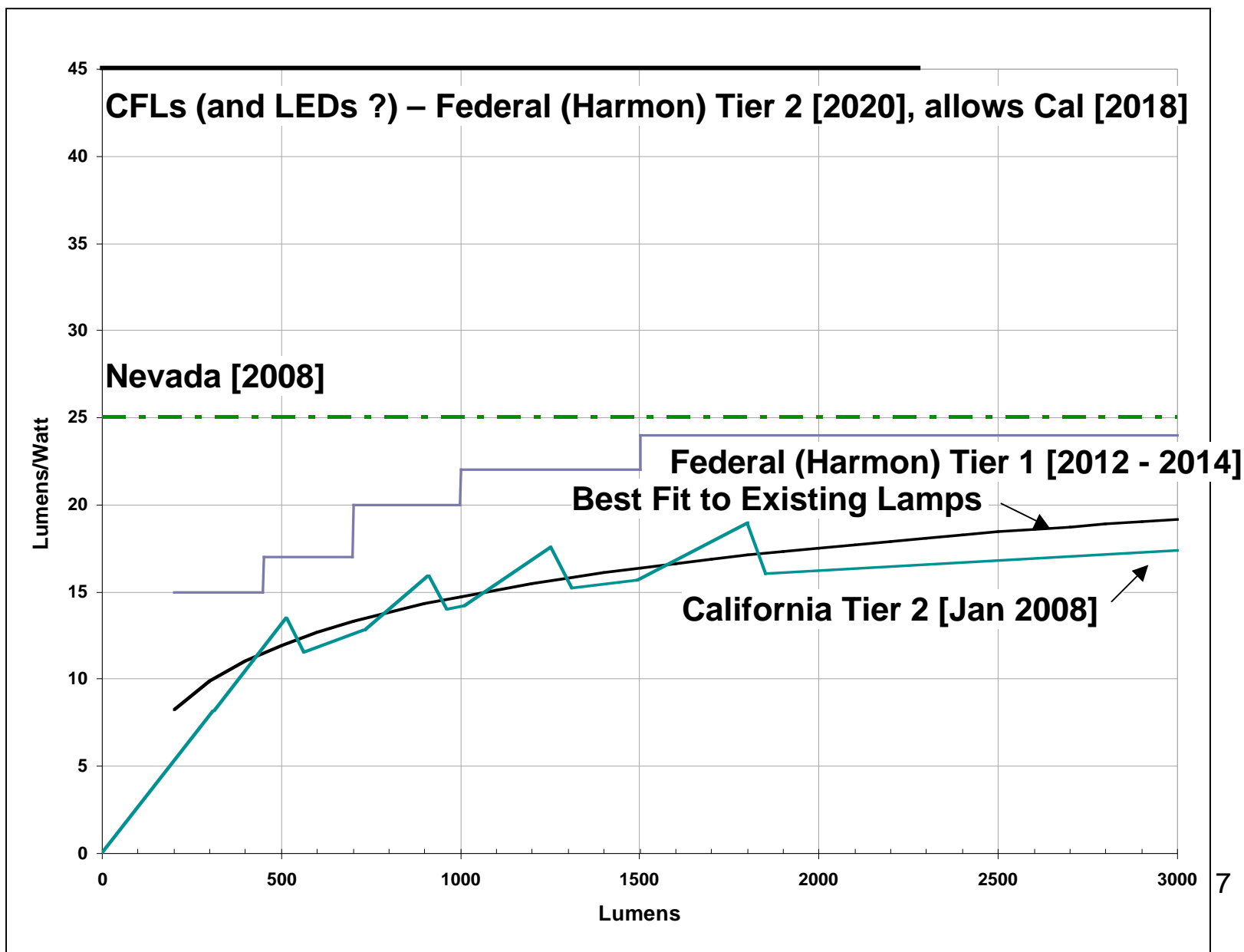
Savings calculated 10 years after standard takes effect. Calculations provided by David Fridley, LBNL

## United States Refrigerator Use, repeated, to compare with Estimated Household Standby Use v. Time

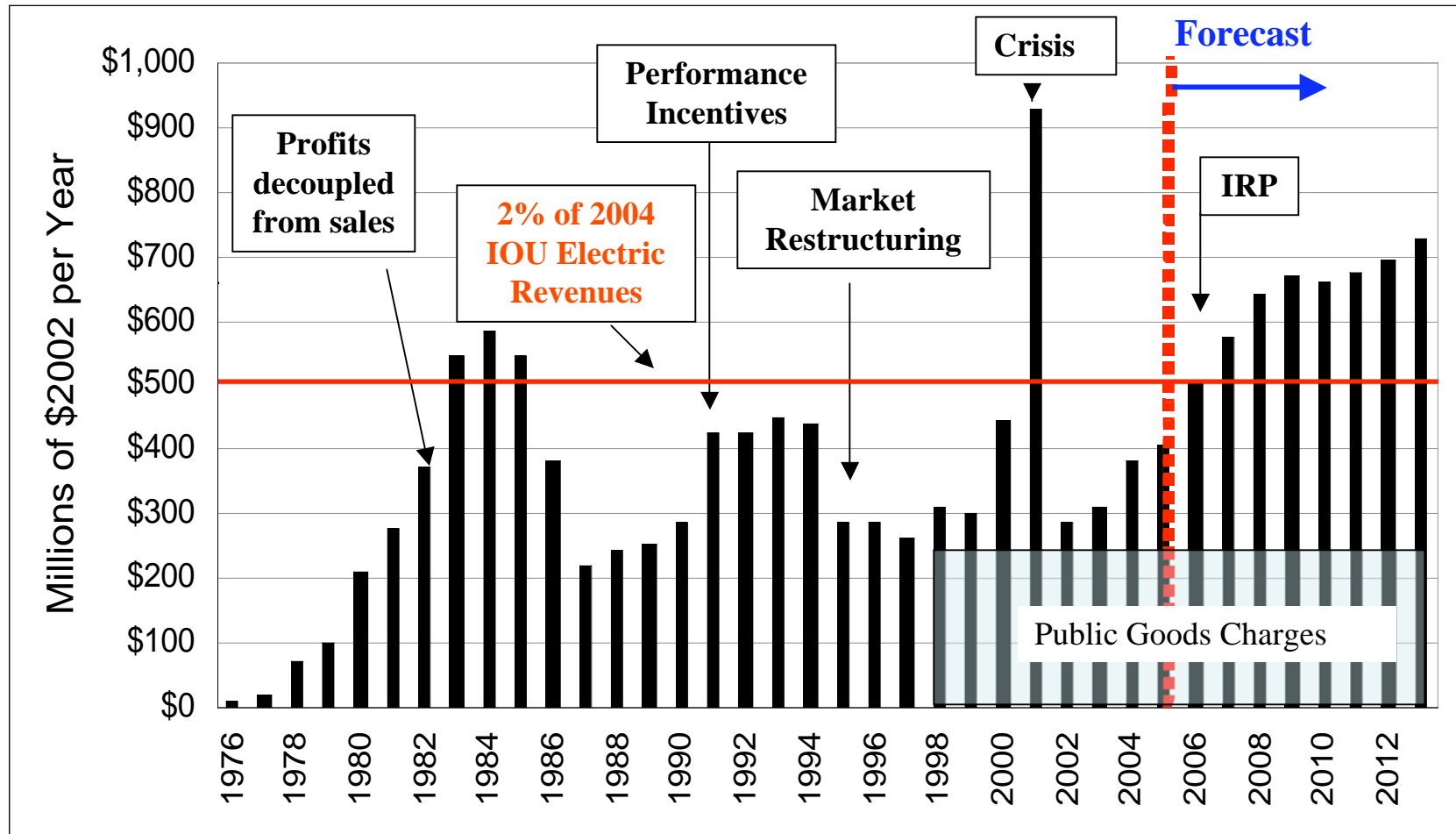




## Improving and Phasing-Out Incandescent Lamps

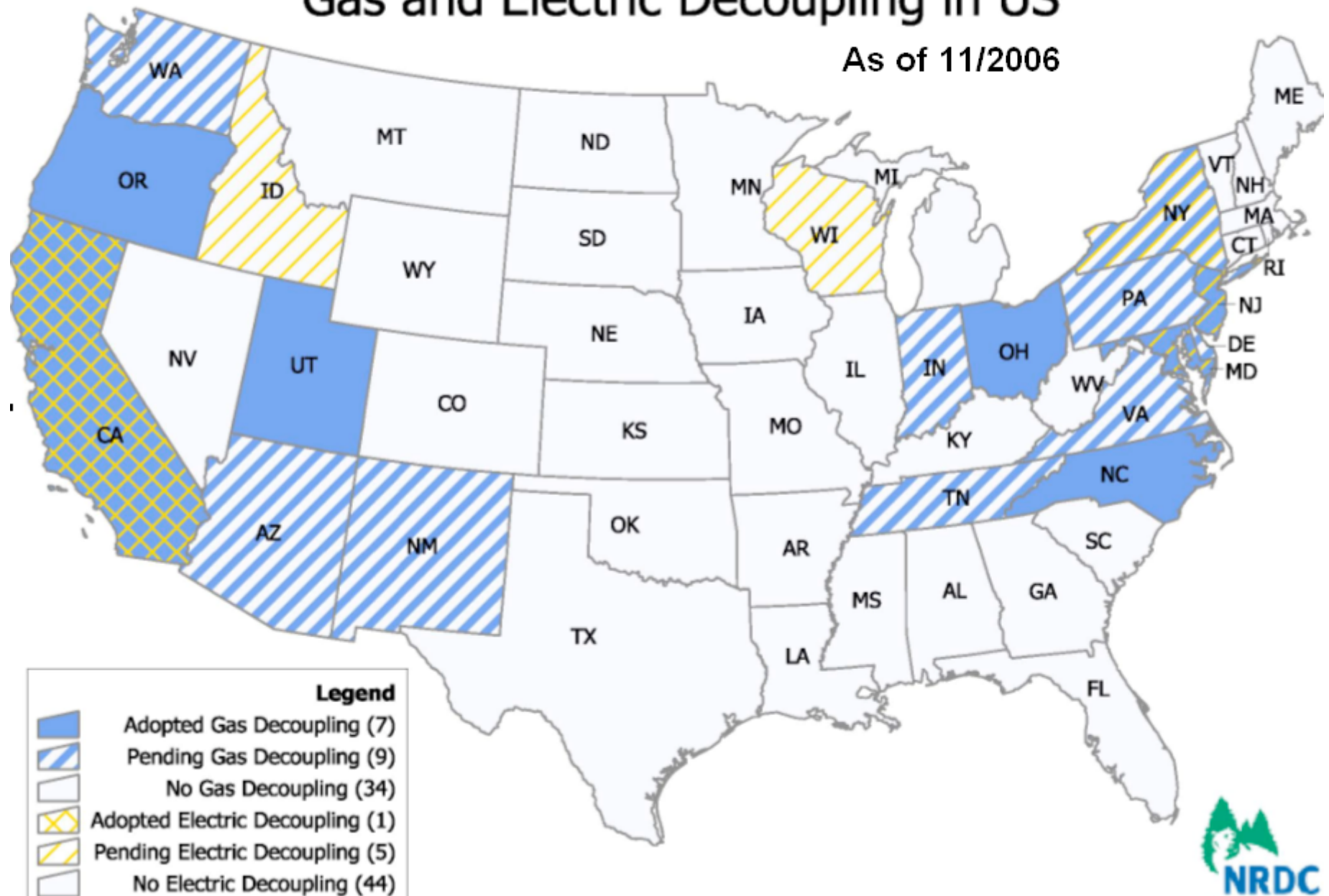


# California IOU's Investment in Energy Efficiency



# Gas and Electric Decoupling in US

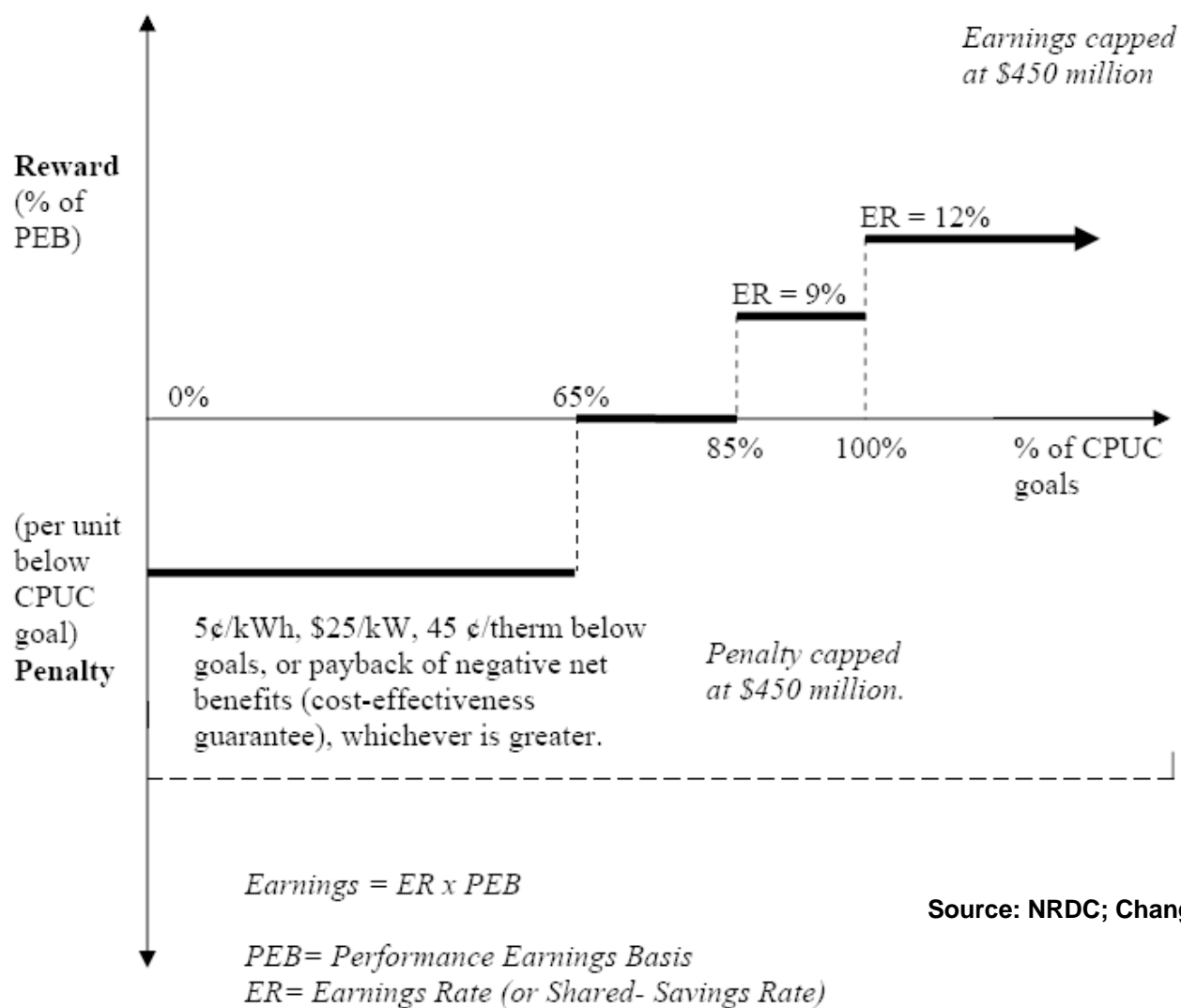
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## Energy Efficiency Incentive Mechanism Earnings/Penalty Curve

(D.07-09-043, p. 8)

### “Decoupling Plus”



## Part 2

# Cool Urban Surfaces and Global Warming

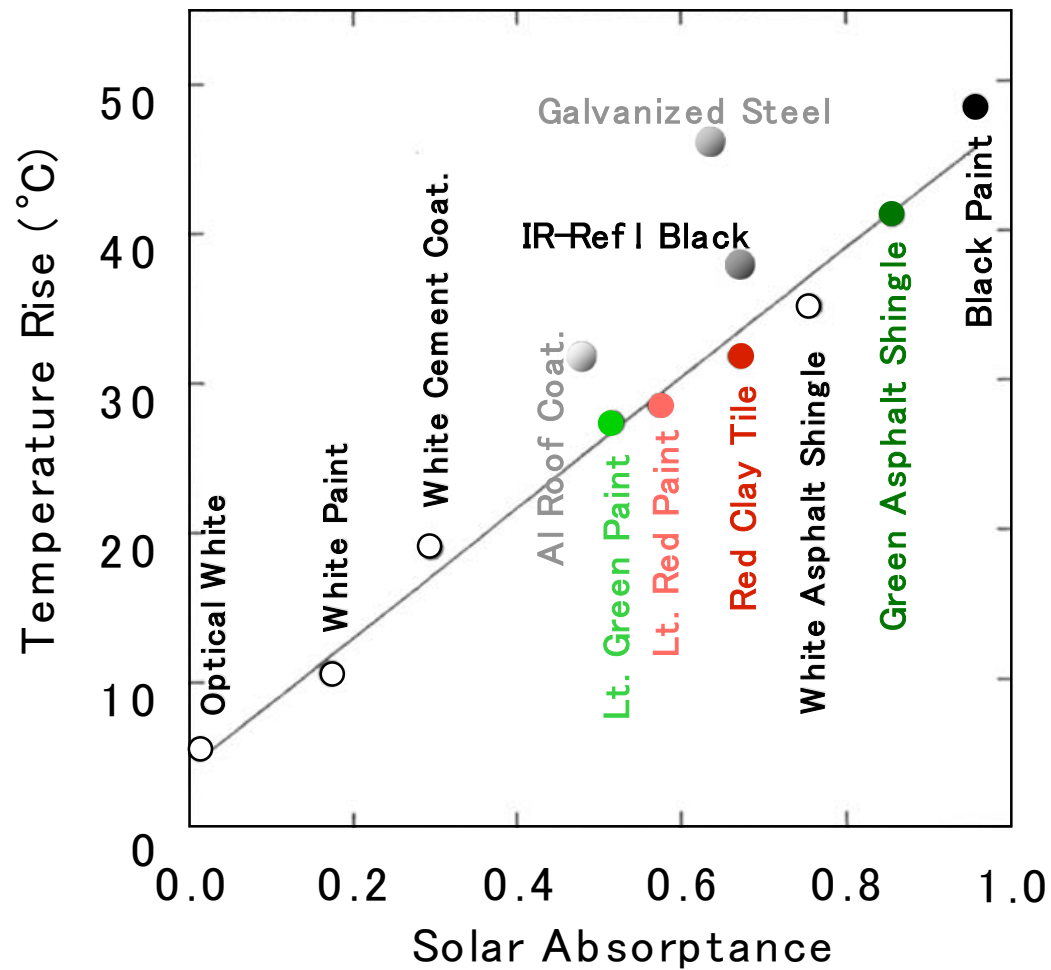
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**International Workshop on Countermeasures to Urban Heat Islands August 3 - 4,  
2006; Tokyo, Japan**

# Temperature Rise of Various Materials in Sunlight



## Direct and Indirect Effects of Light-Colored Surfaces

- **Direct Effect**

- **Light-colored roofs** reflect solar radiation, reduce air-conditioning use

- **Indirect Effect**

- Light-colored surfaces in a neighborhood alter surface energy balance; result in lower ambient temperature

and in Santorini, Greece





# Cool Roof Technologies

Old



flat, white



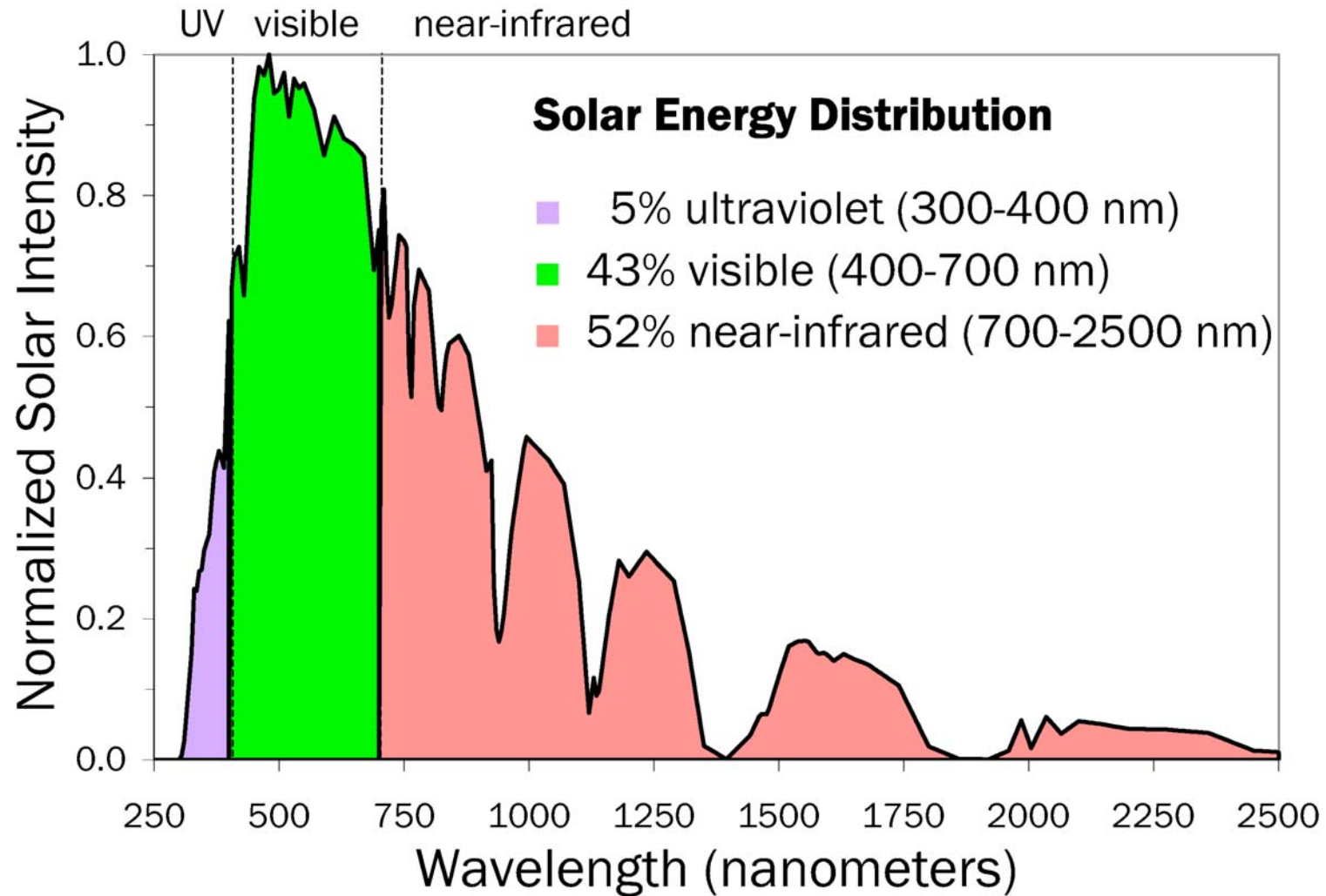
pitched, white

New

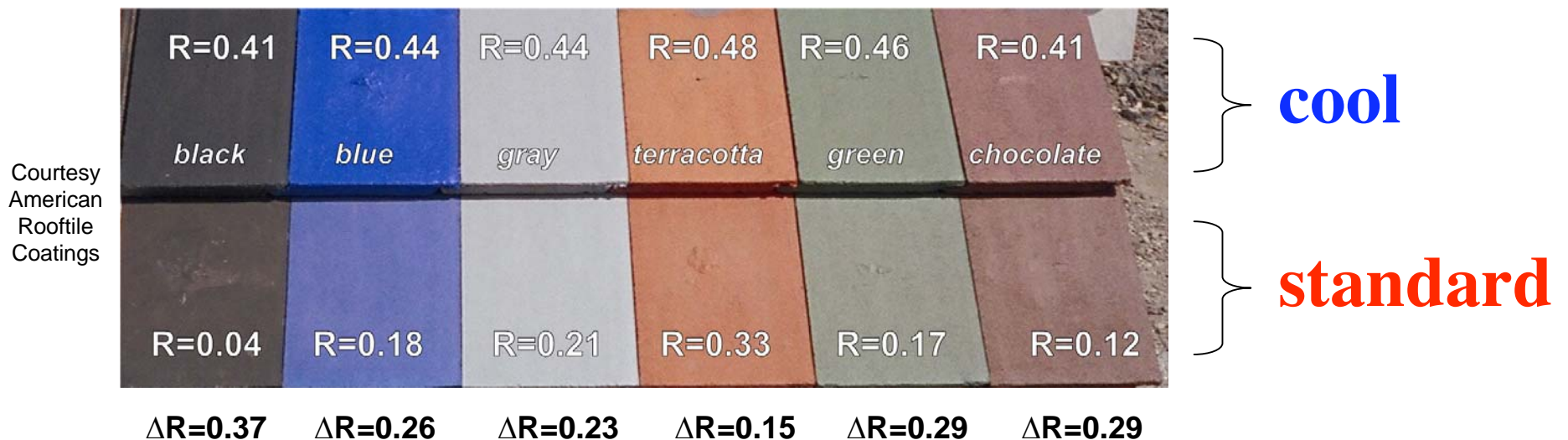


pitched, cool & colored

# Cool Colors Reflect Invisible Near-Infrared Sunlight



## Cool and Standard Color-Matched Concrete Tiles



- Can increase solar reflectance by up to 0.5
- Gain greatest for dark colors

# Cool Roofs Standards

- Building standards for reflective roofs
  - American Society of Heating and Air-conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE): New commercial and residential buildings
  - **Many states: California, Georgia, Florida, Hawaii, ...**
- Air quality standards (qualitative but not quantitative credit)
  - South Coast AQMD
  - S.F. Bay Area AQMD
  - EPA's SIP (State Implementation Plans)



## From Cool Color Roofs to Cool Color Cars



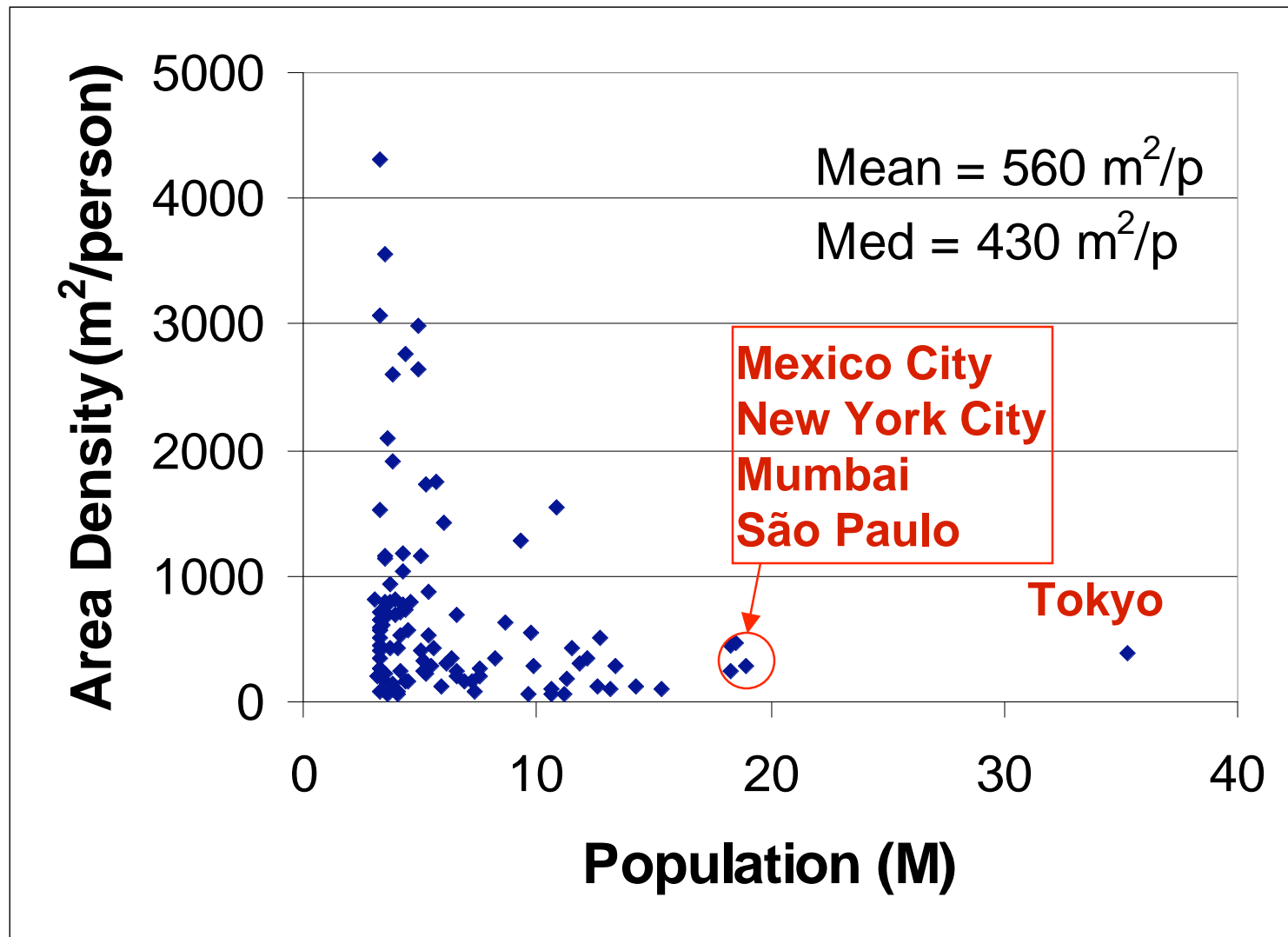
- **Toyota experiment (surface temperature 18F cooler)**
- **Ford, BMW, and Fiat are also working on the technology**

# Cool Surfaces Also Delay Global Warming

## “White Washing Our Green House”

- Forthcoming: “Global Cooling: Increasing Worldwide Global Albedos” Hashem Akbari, Surabi Menon, Arthur Rosenfeld, submitted to Journal of Climatic Change (2008).
- Conclude that cool roofs and pavements, worldwide, would offset 40 Gt of CO<sub>2</sub>, which is the same as one years production today !
- The 40 GtCO<sub>2</sub> could be achieved over say 20 years, at 2 GtCO<sub>2</sub> per year.

100 Largest Cities have 670 M People



## Dense Urban Areas are 1% of Land

- Area of the Earth =  $511 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2$
- Land Area (29%) =  $148 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2$  [1]
- Area of the 100 largest cities =  $0.38 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2 = 0.26\%$  of Land Area for 670 M people
- Assuming 3B live in urban area, urban areas =  $[3000/670] \times 0.26\% = 1.2\%$  of land
- But smaller cities have lower population density, hence, urban areas = 2% of land
- Dense, developed urban areas only 1% of land [2]
- **1% of land is  $1.5 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2$  = area of a square of side s.  
s = 1200 km or 750 miles on a side. Roughly the area of the remaining Greenland Ice Cap (see next slide)**





# IMPACTS OF A WARMING ARCTIC

## Greenland Ice Sheet Melt Extent



# Cooler cities as a mirror

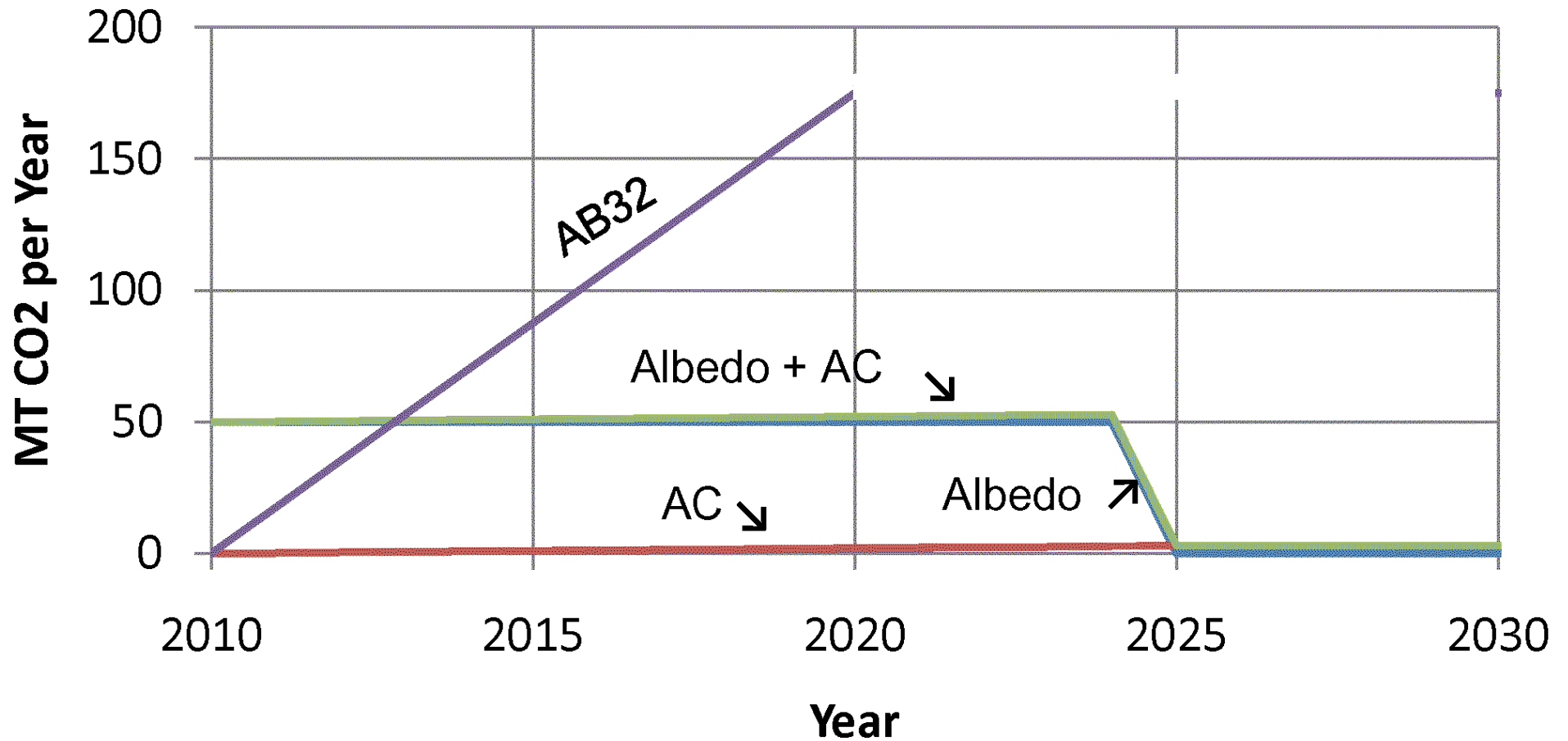
- Mirror Area =  $1.5 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2$  [5]  $\times (0.1/0.7)$  [ $\delta$  albedo of cities/  $\delta$  albedo of mirror]  
=  $0.2 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2 = 200,000 \text{ km}^2$  {This is equivalent to an square of 460 km on the side}  
= 10% of Greenland = 50% of California



## Equivalent Value of Avoided CO<sub>2</sub>

- CO<sub>2</sub> currently trade at ~\$25/ton
- 40Gt worth \$1000 Billion = \$1 Trillion for changing albedo of roofs and paved surface
- Cooler roofs alone worth \$500 B
- Cooler roofs also save air conditioning (and provide comfort) worth ten times more
- Let developed countries offer \$1 million per large city in a developing country, to trigger a cool roof/pavement program in that city

## California cool urban surfaces and AB32





# Reducing U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions: *How Much at What Cost?*



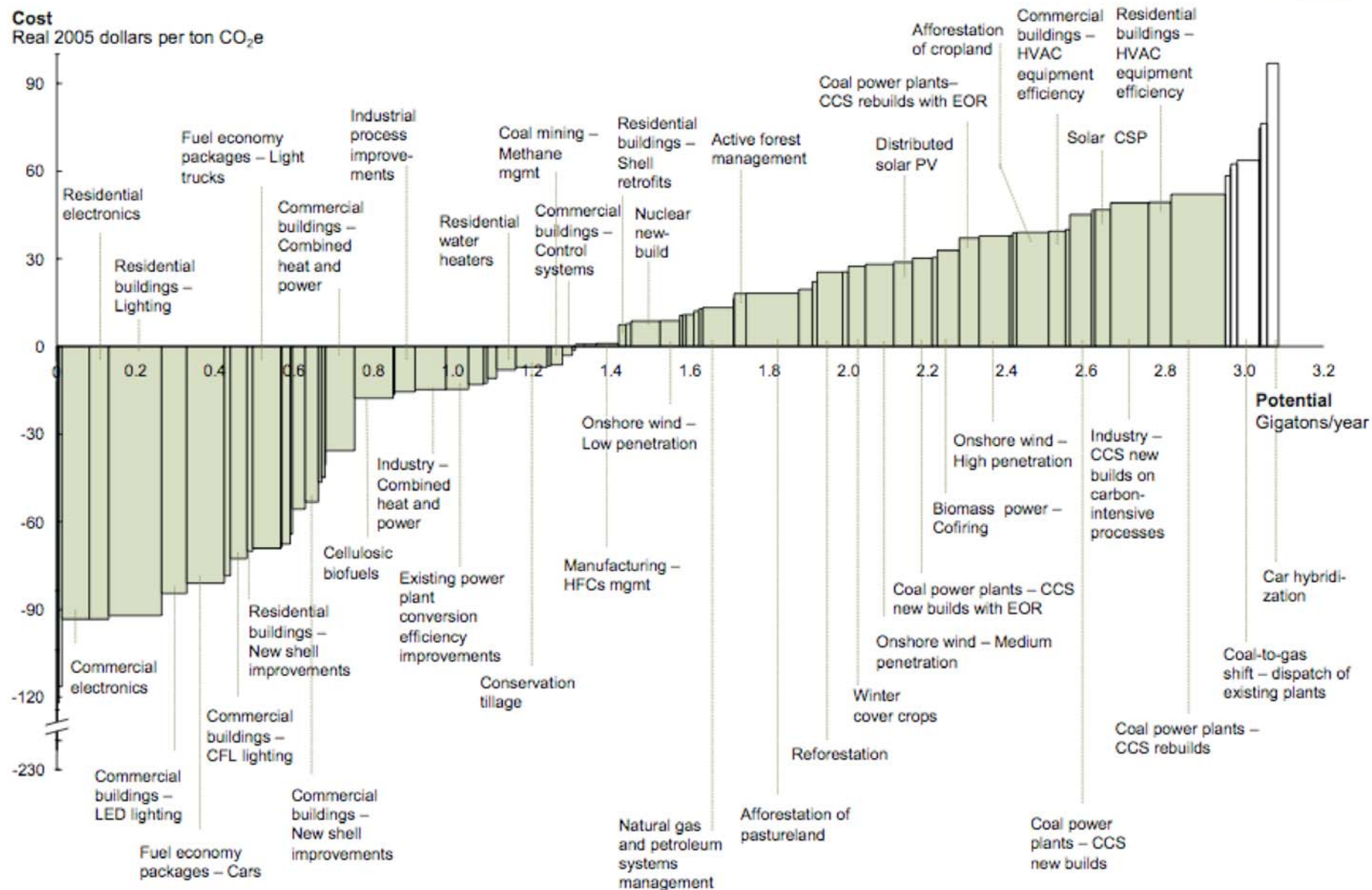
**US Greenhouse Gas Abatement Mapping Initiative**

December 12, 2007

**McKinsey & Company**

## Exhibit B

# U.S. MID-RANGE ABATEMENT CURVE – 2030



Source: McKinsey analysis

# McKinsey CO2 Abatement Curves

- McKinsey provides the first graph we've seen that offers a balanced graphical comparison of
  - Efficiency as a negative cost or profitable investment
  - Renewables as costing  $> 0$
- Two properties of these Supply Curves
  1. The shaded areas are proportional to annualized savings or costs -- the graph shows that efficiency (area below x-axis) saves about \$50 Billion per year and nearly pays for the renewables (area above x-axis)

The ratio is about 40:60
  2. The Simple Payback Time (SPT) can be estimated directly from the graph, if we know the service life of the investment

# A **cost curve** for greenhouse gas reduction With a Worldwide Perspective

*A global study of the size and cost of measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions yields important insights for businesses and policy makers.*

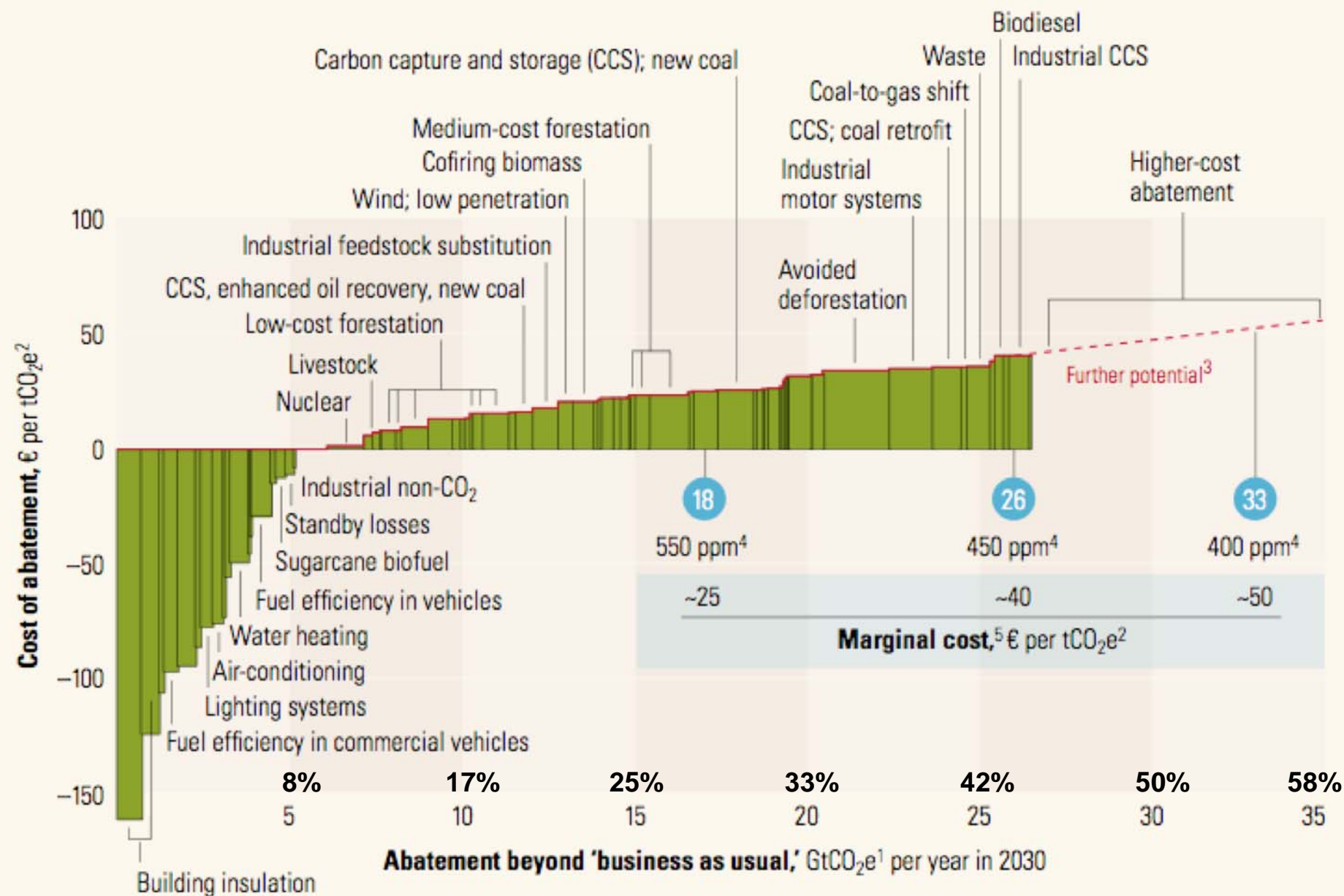
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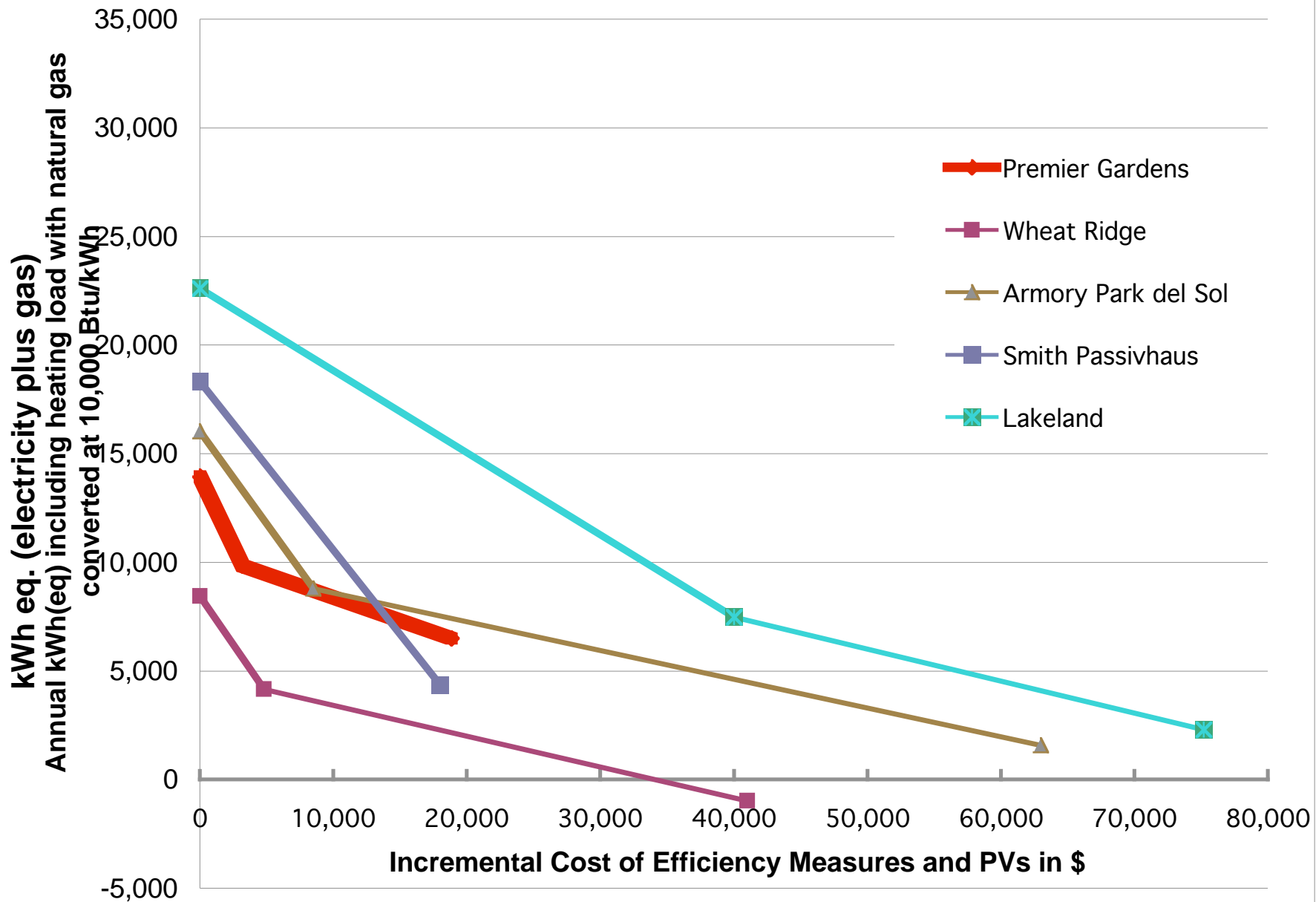
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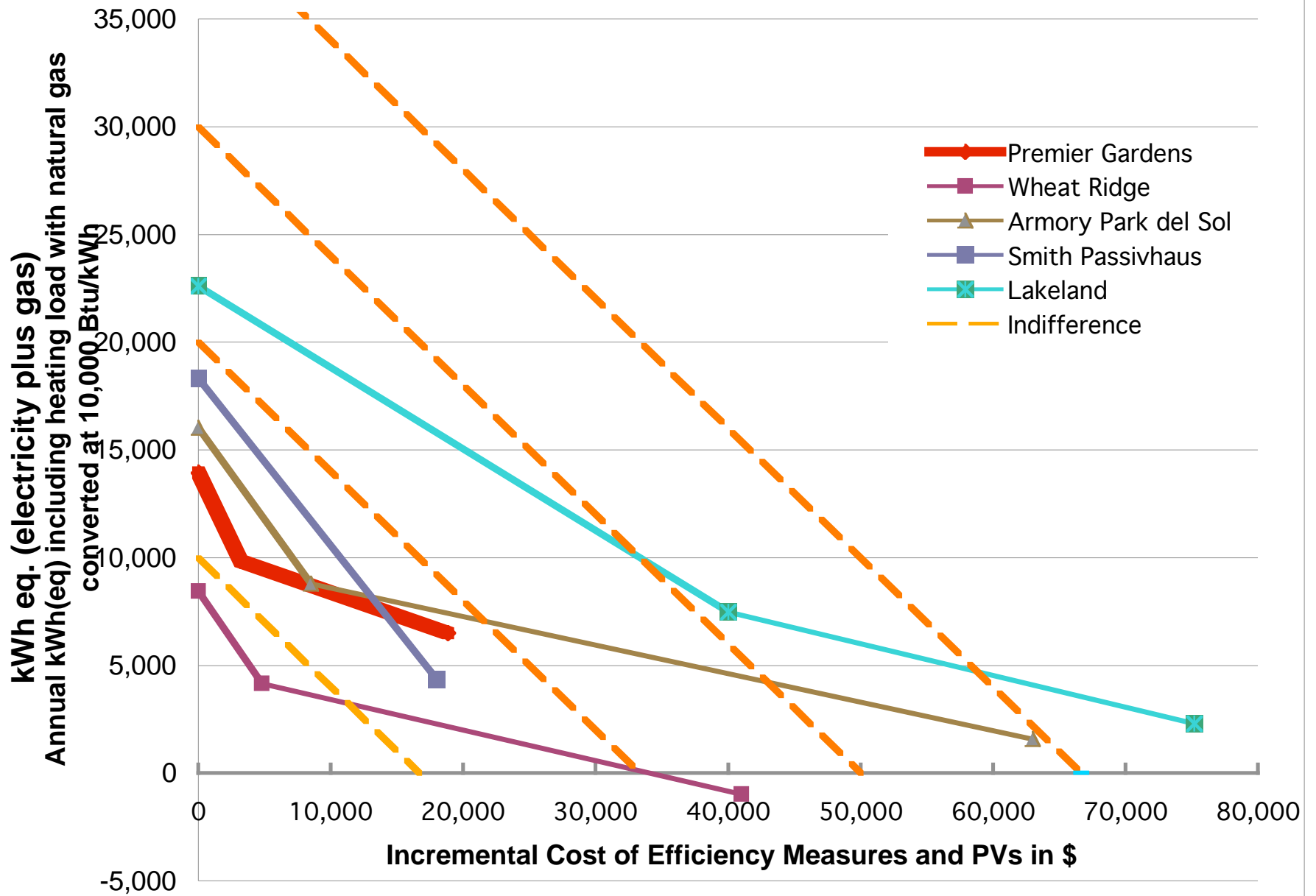


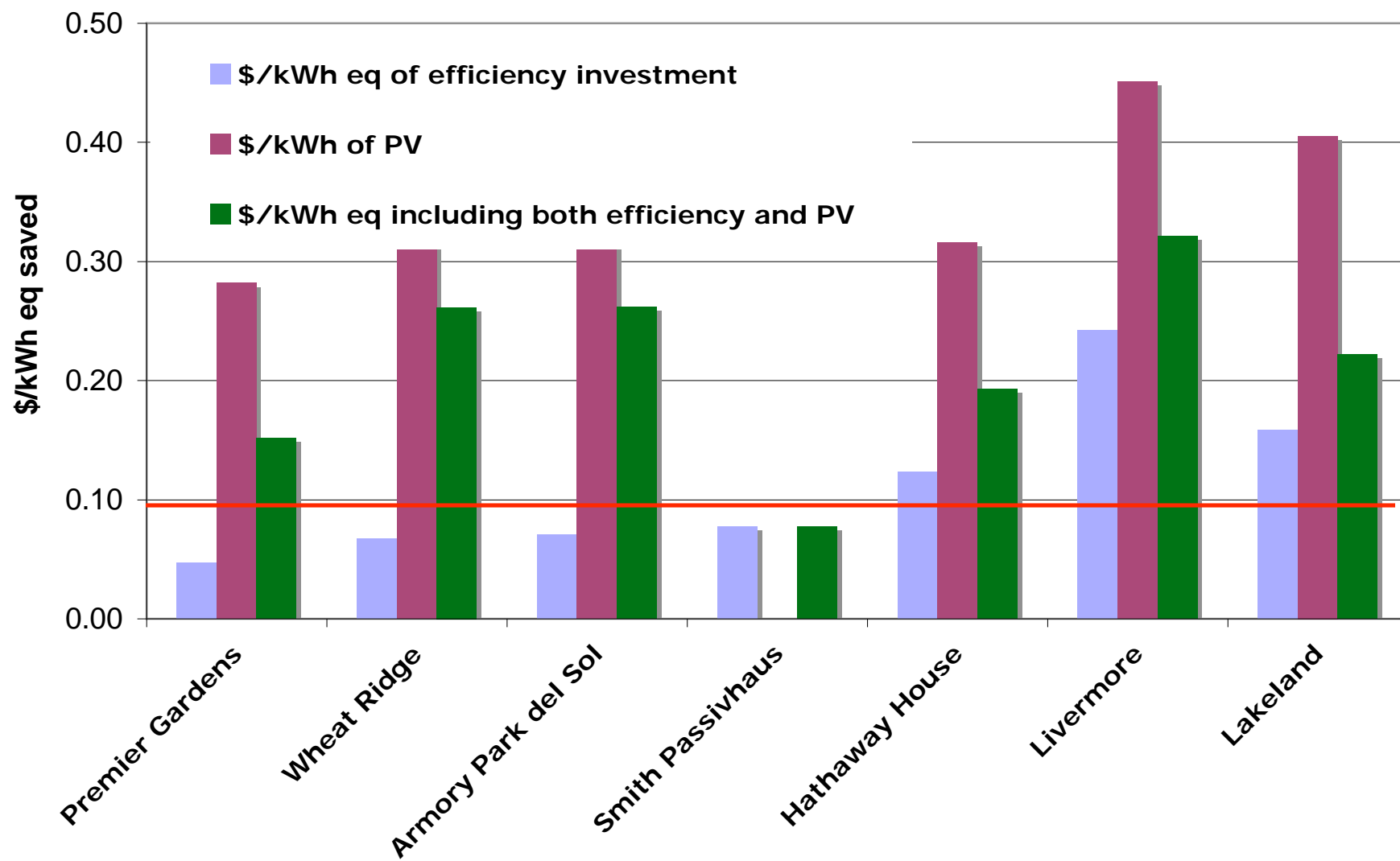
Global cost curve for greenhouse gas abatement measures beyond 'business as usual'; greenhouse gases measured in GtCO<sub>2</sub>e<sup>1</sup>

● Approximate abatement required beyond 'business as usual,' 2030





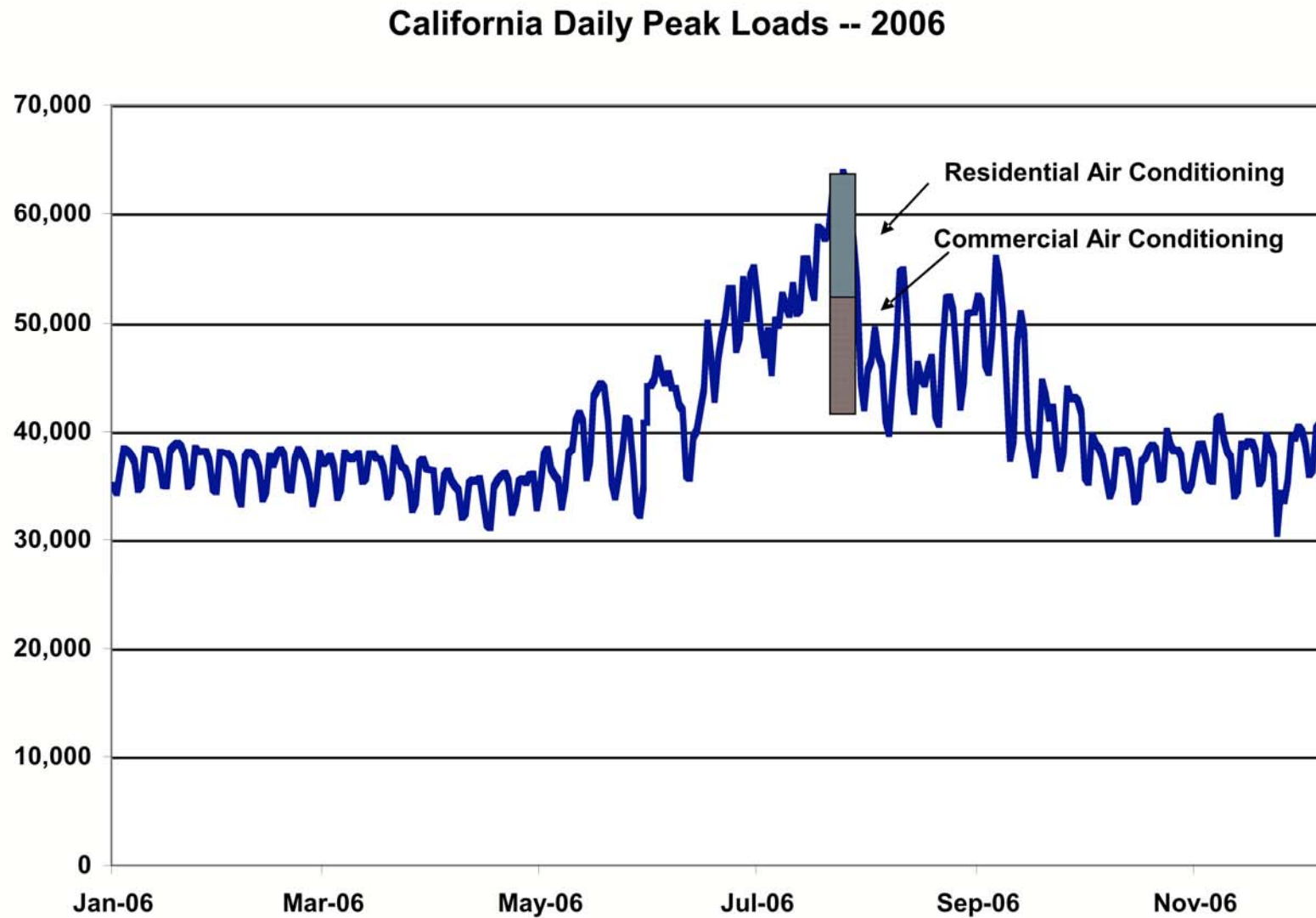




## Part 3 – Demand Response

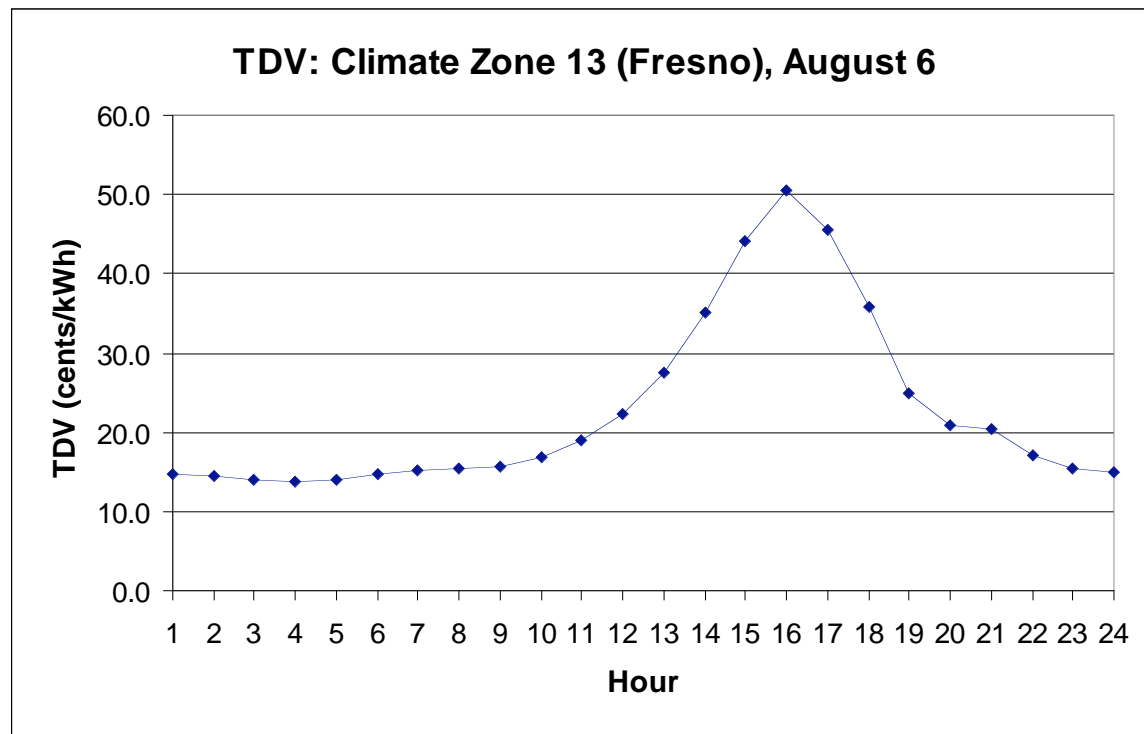
- Thermal Mass
- Thermal Storage
- Operable Shutters
- Cool Roofs

# California is VERY MUCH a Summer Peaking Area



# Time dependent valuation (TDV) prices are also used to calculate bills

- TDV prices are incorporated into California appliance standards (Title 20) and building standards (Title 24)
- TDV prices, or avoided costs, are independent of the idiosyncrasies of utility tariffs
- TDV prices incent efficient air conditioners



# Demand Response and Advanced Metering Infrastructure

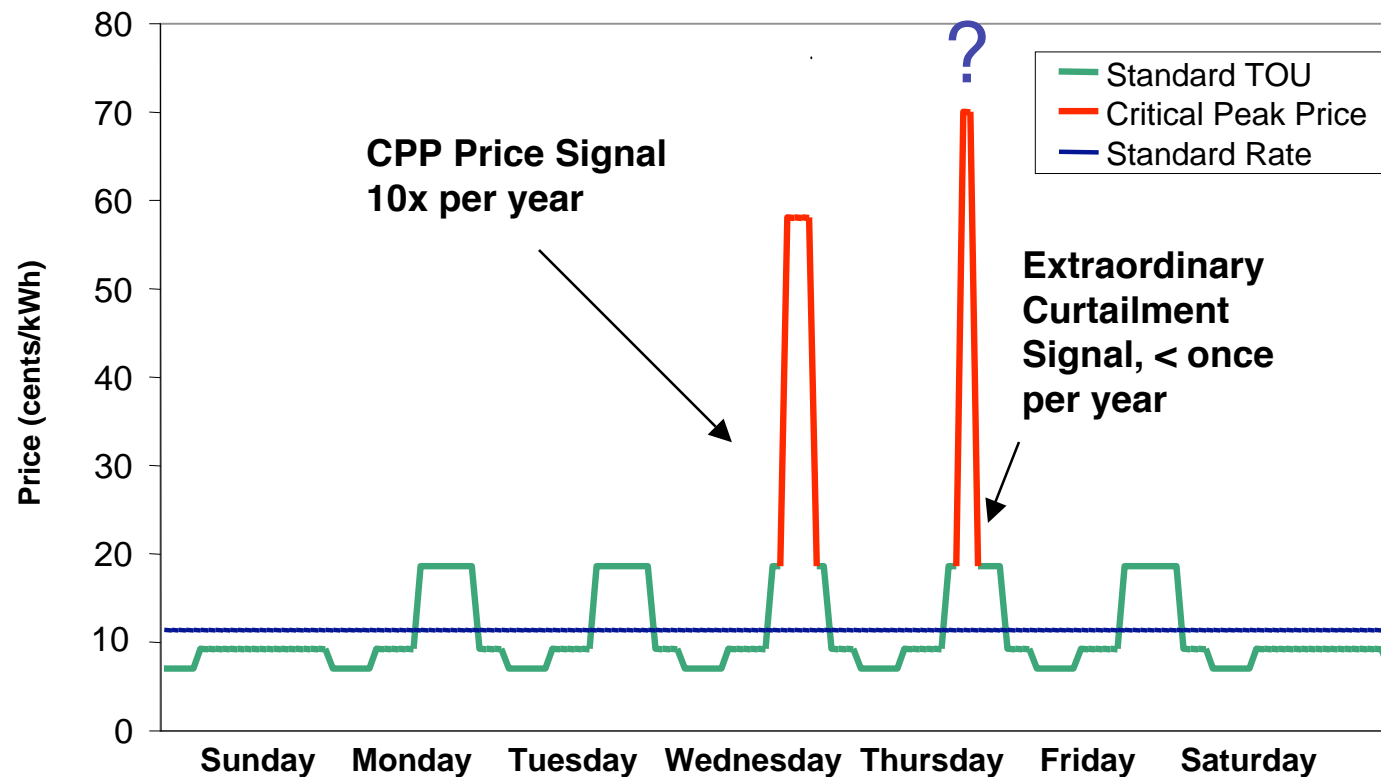
- Began 6 years ago during California electricity crisis
  - All large customers (>200kW) received digital meters and were required to move to Time-of-Use rates
- In 2003, we established a Goal of 5% price responsive demand by 2007
- We have been testing the demand response of “CPP” (Critical Peak Pricing, which is the California version of French “Tempo”)
- Results for residential customers
  - 12% reduction when faced with critical peak prices and no technology
  - 30% to 40% reduction for customers with air conditioning, technology, and a critical peak price.
- For larger customers, the Demand Response Research Center at Lawrence Berkeley National Lab has been testing Automated Demand Response with the same type of “CPP” tariff
  - Customer Response in the range of 12% during events
  - And response is “pre-programmed” and can be automatic
    - Highly customer specific (process load, lighting, HVAC)



# Critical Peak Pricing (CPP) with additional curtailment option

**Potential Annual Customer Savings:**

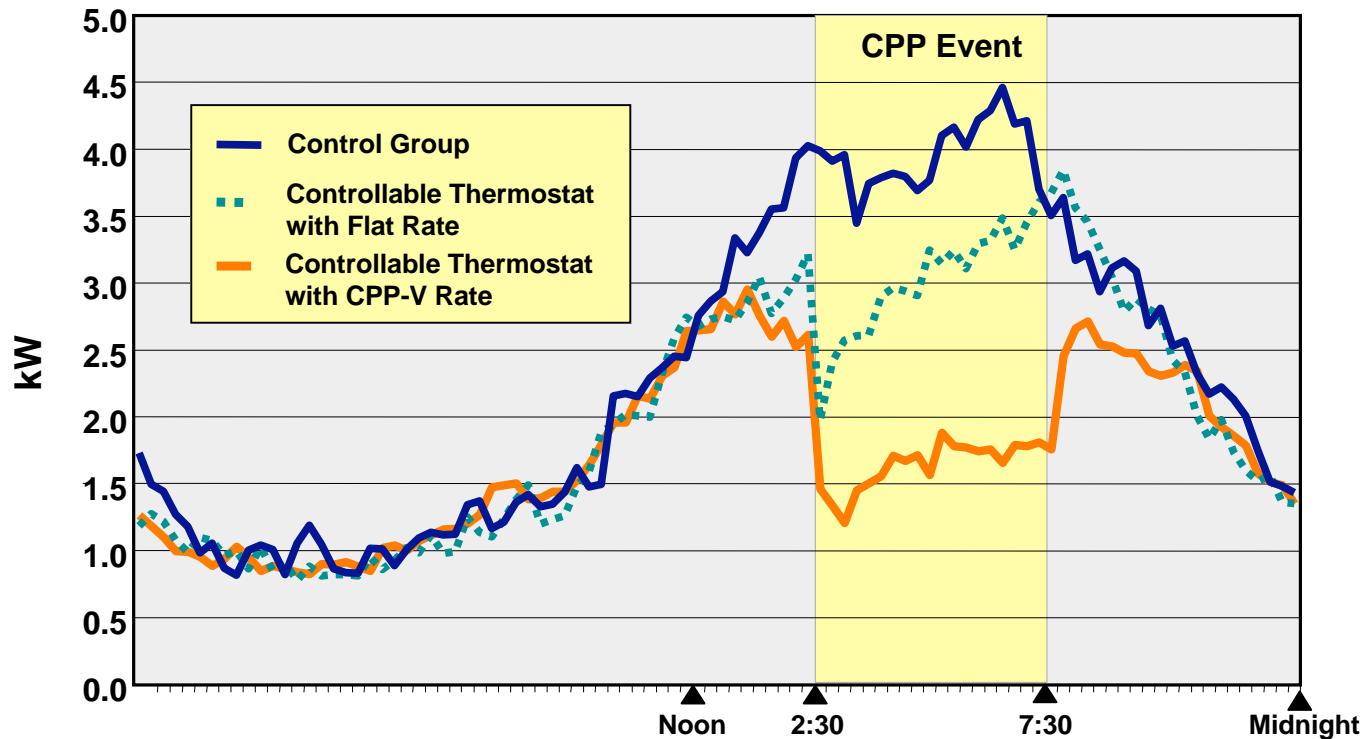
**10 afternoons x 4 hours x 1kw = 40 kWh at 70 cents/kWh = ~\$30/year**



## CPP rates – Load Impacts

### Residential Response on a typical hot day Control vs. Flat rate vs. CPP-V Rate

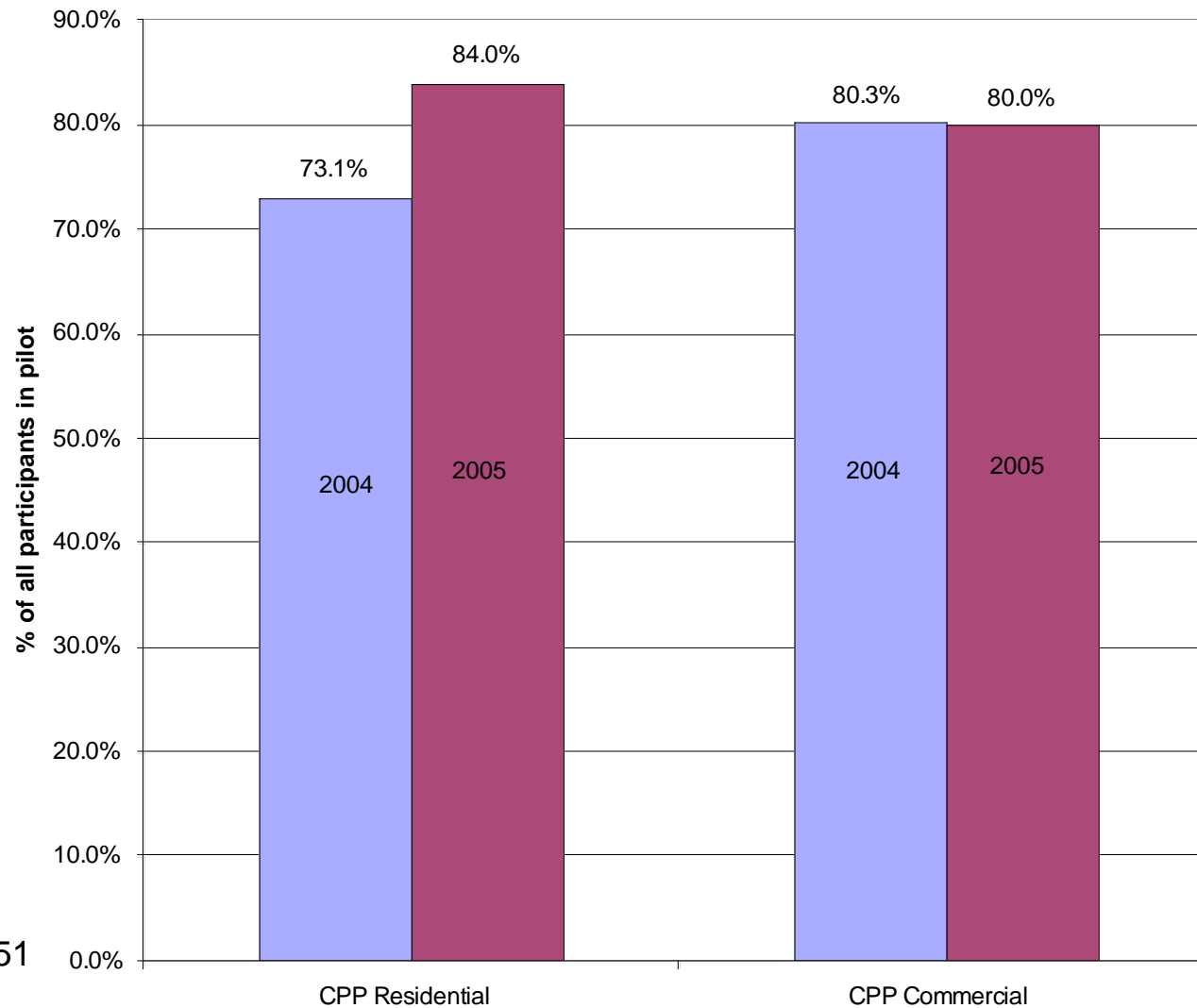
( Hot Day, August 15, 2003, Average Peak Temperature 88.5°)



**Most customers (~ 80%) Saved Money and Most (~60%) thought all customers should be offered this type of rate.**

Source: Response of Residential Customers to Critical Peak Pricing and Time-of-Use Rates during the Summer of 2003, September 13, 2004, CEC Report.

## Fraction of Customers on CPP Rates with Lower bills in 2004 and 2005- Residential and Small Commercial



2004

2005

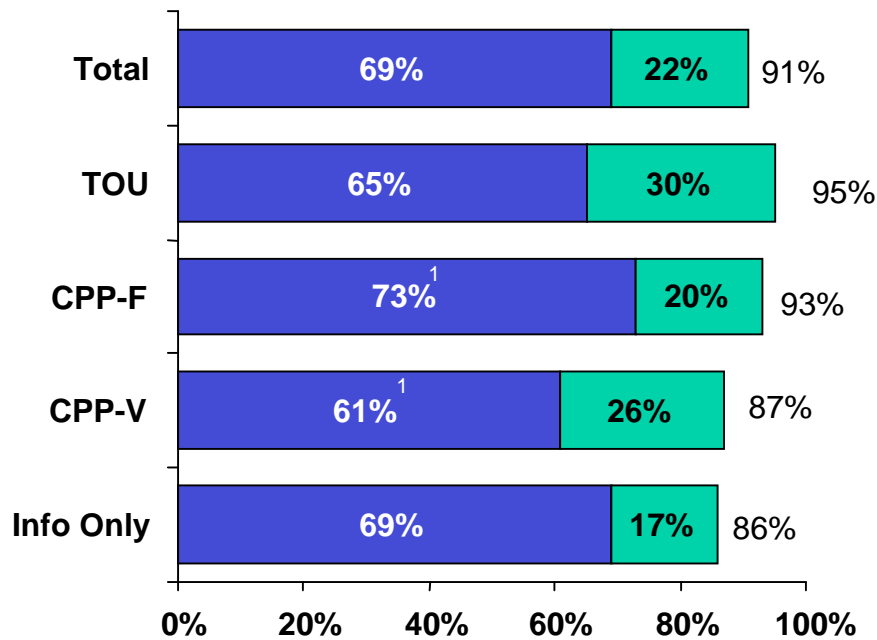
Average residential  
savings= \$38/year

Average small commercial  
savings-\$1300/yr

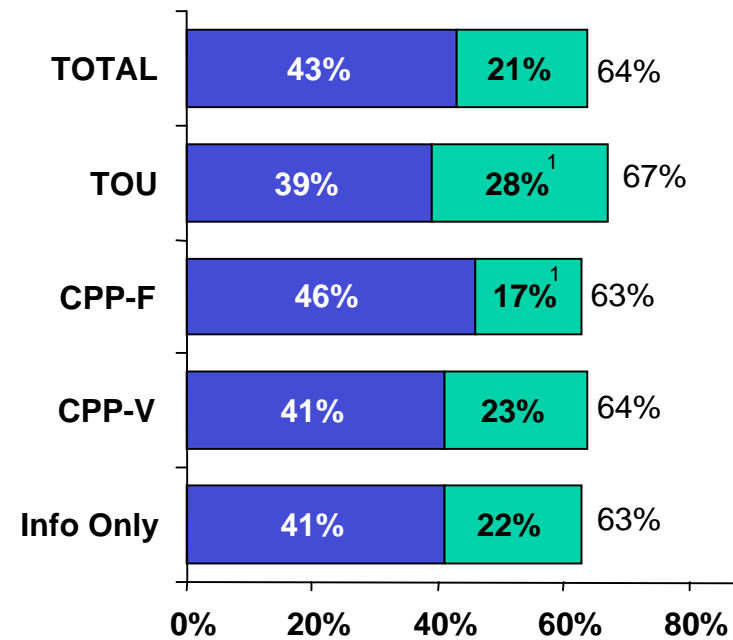
## Customer Acceptance of CPP rates

**Residential participants express a strong interest in having dynamic rates offered to all customers.**

**Should dynamic rates be offered to all customers?**

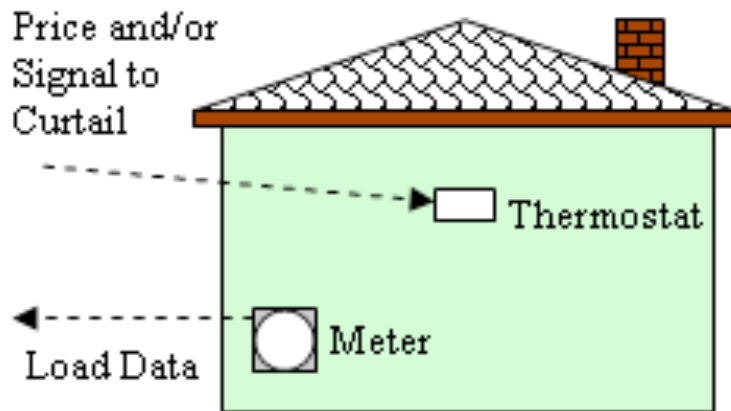


**Should all customers be placed on a dynamic rate and given an option to switch to another rate?**

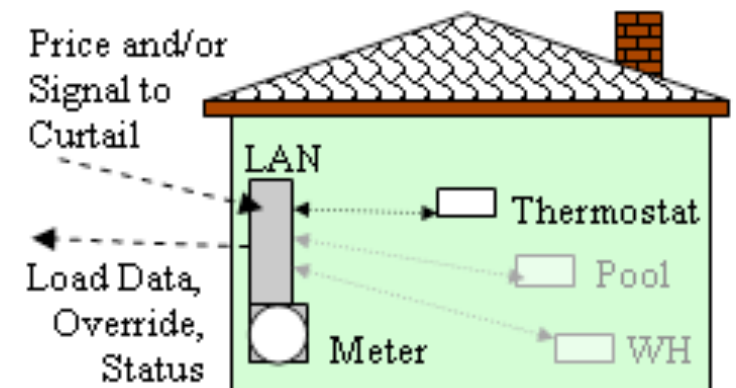
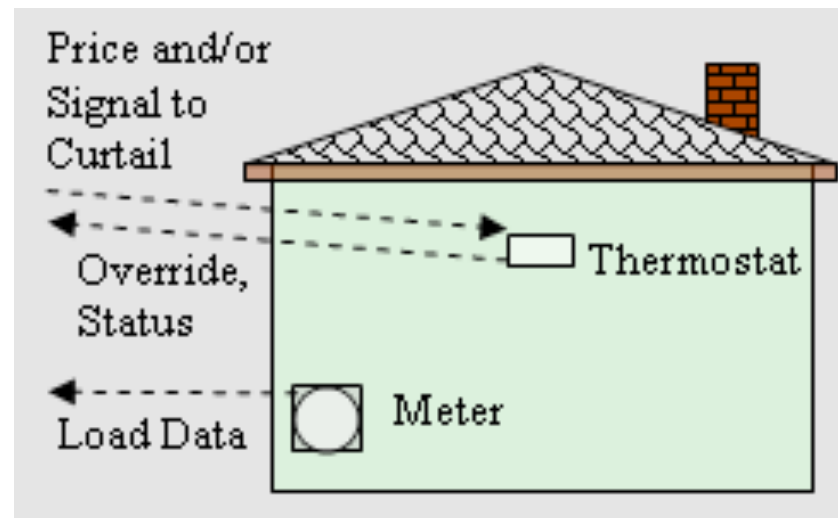


■ Definitely  
■ Probably

Source: Statewide Pricing Pilot: End-of-Pilot Customer Assessment, December 2004, Momentum Market Intelligence.



Just some of the proposed systems for PCTs and demand response in the residential and small commercial/industrial sectors.



# Part 4

## California Greenhouse Reduction Goals: AB 32

**The  
Economist**

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Shake-up in Big Pharma

China's space blast

Europe's rotating slump

Serbia's encouraging election

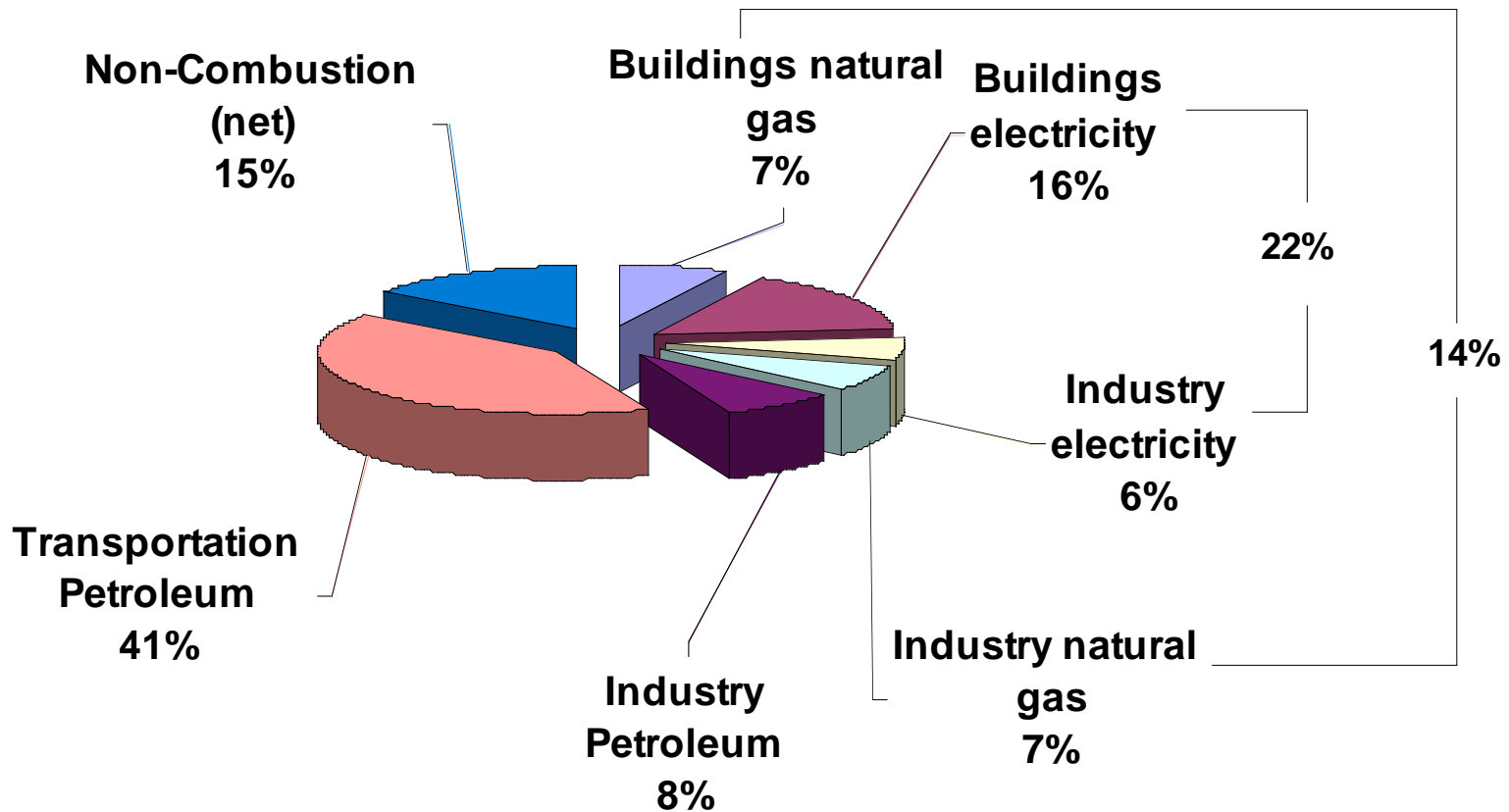
Hating Hillary Clinton



# The greening of America

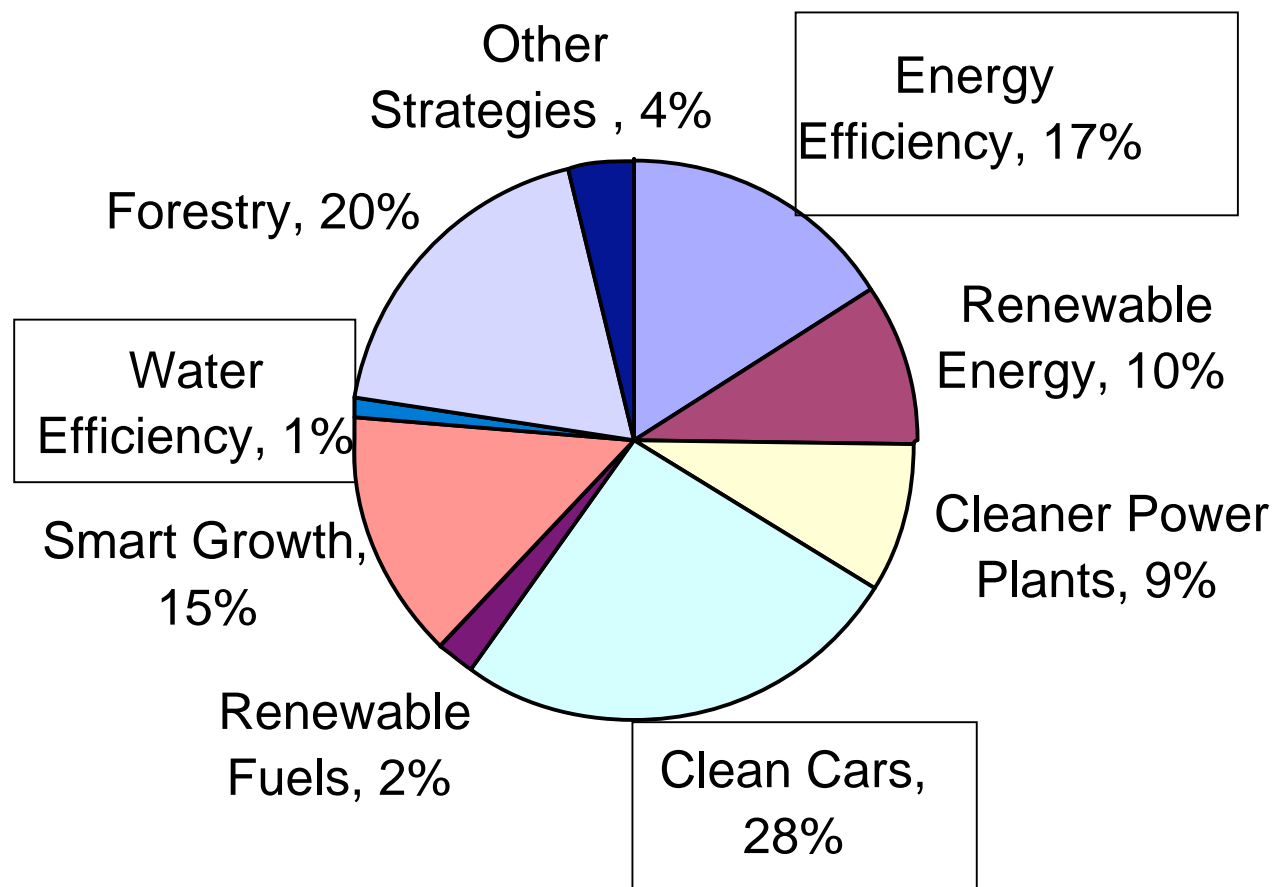
## And California

**Emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> in California by End Use in 2004**  
**Total Emissions = 490 Million metric tons CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent**





**Strategies for Meeting California's CO2 Goals in 2020**  
**Total Reductions = 174 Million metric Tons CO2 equivalent**



# Governor Schwarzenegger's and California's Efforts

## June 2005 Executive Order on Climate Change

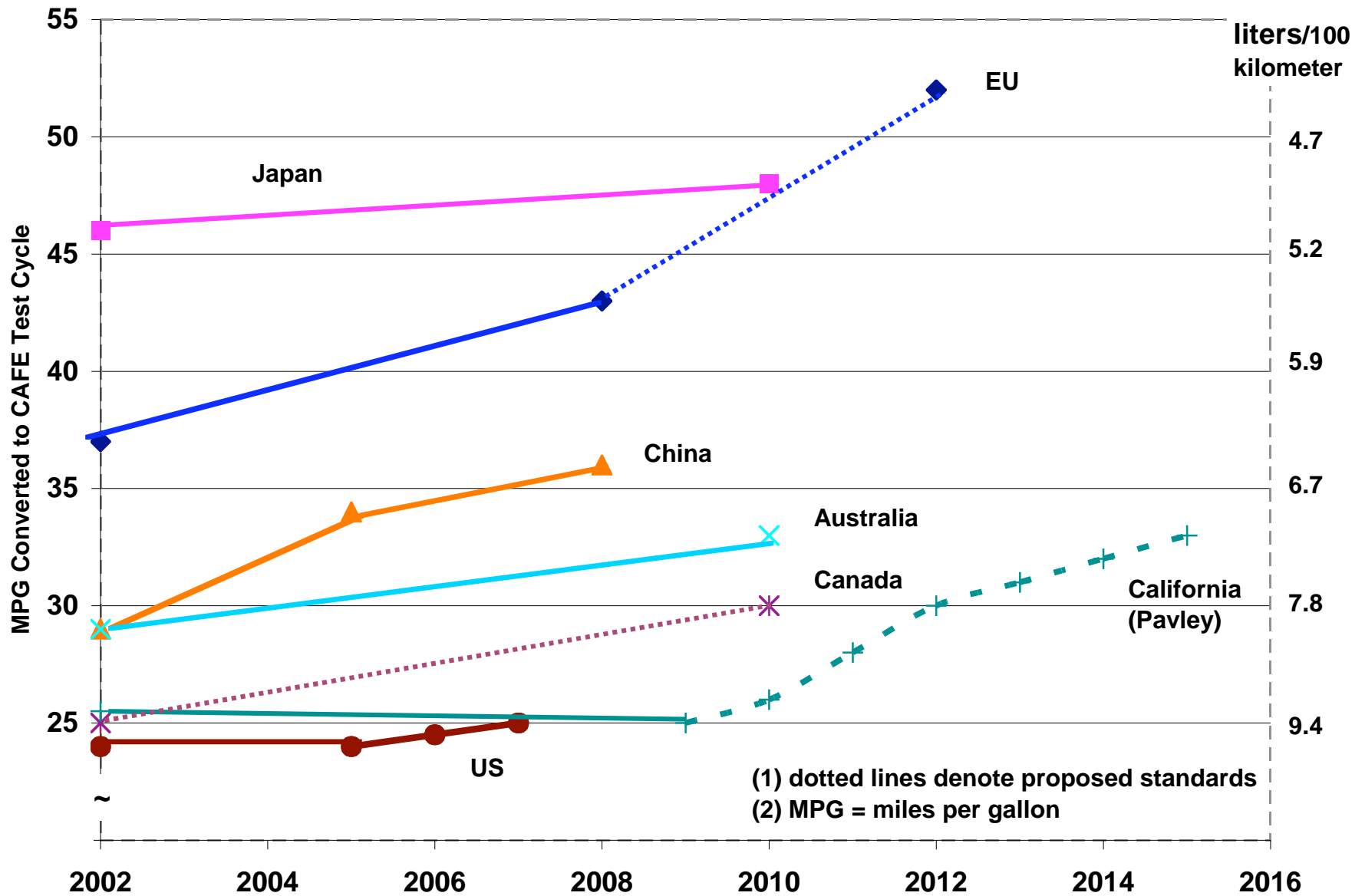
- Reduce greenhouse gases:
  - to 2000 levels by 2010
  - to 1990 levels by 2020 (~30% below BAU!!)
  - to 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050

## AB 32 – the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006

- Confirms the Governor's Executive Order
- Adopt regulations to achieve maximum feasible and cost-effective GHG reductions
- Adopt market mechanisms, such as cap and trade
- Establish mandatory reporting of GHG emissions by major industries
- Adopt a statewide GHG emissions limit for 2020 matching 1990 emissions

[www.ClimateChange.ca.gov](http://www.ClimateChange.ca.gov)

# Comparison of Fuel Economy – Passenger Vehicles



**Renewable Electricity Generation in California  
(not including large hydroelectric, > 30 MW)**

